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PRECEDENT CAIRO ROUNTREE
BY JOSEPH E. DYNAN
BAGHDAD, DEC 15 (AP)—A BRIEF SHOWER OF MUDBALLS AND EGGS AND A SIZEABLE ROCK HURLED FROM HOWLING MOBS OF YOUNG IRAQIS GREETED ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE WILLIAM ROUNTREE TODAY. NONE OF THE MISSILES HIT HIM.

"GO HOME, ROUNTREE," THE MOBS CHORUSED.
HE ARRIVED BY AIR IN LATE AFTERNOON ON HIS FACT-FINDING MIDEAST MISSION AND LANDED IN A TIGHT SCREEN OF MILITARY SECURITY PROVIDED BY THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT.

THE MUDBALLS SPLATTERED THE SIDE OF THE EMBASSY LIMOUSINE ON THE RIDE IN TO THE EMBASSY FROM THE AIRPORT.

AT ONE POINT ROUNTREE'S CAR WAS ALSO HIT BY A ROCK. IT CRACKED BUT DID NOT BREAK THE LEFT SIDE WINDSHIELD JUST IN FRONT OF THE DRIVER'S SEAT.

AT THE AIRPORT AND IN FRONT OF THE EMBASSY CROWDS OF YOUNG MEN KEPT UP THE CHORUSED SHOUTS, "GO HOME, ROUNTREE!"

THEY CARRIED AND WAVED BANNERS WITH SIMILAR SLOGANS IN ENGLISH. BUT NOTHING SERIOUS HAPPENED AT THE AIRFIELD ARRIVAL, MOSTLY THANKS TO A DEFT MANEUVER BY THE IRAQI MILITARY GUARDS. WHILE THE CROWD SURGED FORWARD TO THE MAIN ENTRANCE, ROUNTREE'S CAR WAS WHISKED AWAY THROUGH A FAR-SIDE GATEWAY.

(IRAQ HAS BEEN SEETHING SINCE A MILITARY GROUP DESTROYED THE MONARCHY OF KING FAISAL LAST JULY 14 AND SET UP A REVOLUTIONARY REPUBLIC. BESIDES SERIOUS INTERNAL STRUGGLES MAINLY BETWEEN RIGHT AND LEFT, EXTERNAL PRESSURES HAVE COME FROM PRESIDENT NASSER'S UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, FROM THE SOVIET COMMUNIST LEADERSHIP AND SATELLITES, AND FROM THE WEST IN ITS APPARENTLY LOST EFFORT TO KEEP IRAQ IN THE BAGHDAD PACT. BRITISH INFLUENCE IN IRAQ IS WANING BUT IT STILL PREVAILS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF IRAQ'S OIL EXPORT WEALTH FOR PRACTICAL REASONS.)

LONG BEFORE ROUNTREE'S IRAQI AIRWAYS VISCOUNT PLANE FROM CAIRO TOUCHED DOWN, THE AREA FRONTING THE AIRPORT TERMINAL AND ROADS LEADING TO THE AIRPORT WERE LINED WITH SEVERAL THOUSAND PERSONS--MOSTLY YOUNG MEN, MANY OBVIOUSLY OF STUDENT AGE.

THEY WAVED OR HELD ALOFT BANNERS.

THE CROWD ACROSS THE ROAD IN FRONT OF THE AIRPORT TERMINAL WAS PARTICULARLY DENSE. IT WAS ALSO IN AN UGLY MOOD, BURSTING WITH WILD-EYED EXCITEMENT FROM THE MOMENT THE VISCOUNT COULD BE SEEN AND HEARD IN THE LOWERING GREY CLOUDS.

IRAQI TROOPS WITH FIXED BAYONETS STOOD ALERT AT THE TERMINAL STEPS. OTHER DETACHMENTS OF POLICE AND MILITARY STOOD GUARD AT VARIOUS OTHER POINTS ALONG THE ROUTE INTO TOWN.

AN EMBASSY CAR WITH FLAGS FLYING WAITED WITHIN THE FIELD.

AS THE PLANE DISAPPEARED FROM SIGHT BEHIND THE TERMINAL BUILDING THE CROWD SHOUTED "GO HOME, ROUNTREE," WAVING BANNERS.

A GROUP OF RED CHINESE PHOTOGRAPHERS TOOD ON THE TERMINAL STEPS SNAPPING PICTURES.

THE MILITARY HAD IMPOSED STRICT SECURITY ON ALL ENTRANCES TO THE FIELD

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NEWSMEN AND PHOTOGRAPHERS WERE NOT ALLOWED BEYOND THE TERMINAL BUILDING.

THE MILITARY EVADED ANY DIRECT CLASH WITH THE CROWD AT THE AIRFIELD WITH A CLEVER FAST DECOY. ROUNTREE'S CAR WAS WHISKED OFF THE FIELD BY THE BACK GATE WHILE TROOPS STOOD GUARD AT THE MAIN GATE GIVING THE IMPRESSION THAT ROUNTREE WOULD EMERGE THERE.

THE CROWDS SWEEPED FORWARD ACROSS THE MAIN ROADWAY BLOCKING THE EXIT. BUT BY THIS TIME ROUNTREE'S CAR, FLYING THE AMERICAN SECRETARIAL FLAGS, WAS SAFELY OFF THE FIELD AT THE FAR END AND HEADED INTO TOWN.

THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY WAS MET ON THE FIELD BY U.S. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, A. DAVID FRITZLAN AND OTHER EMBASSY STAFF PEOPLE AND AN IRAQI PROTOCOL MAN.

ROUNTREE WENT FIRST TO THE SOVEREIGNTY COUNCIL TO SIGN THE VISITORS' BOOK, THENCE TO THE EMBASSY WHERE OTHER SHOUTING CROWDS WERE WAITING.

BAGHDAD IS A LONG, NARROW CITY THAT CLINGS TO THE TIGRIS FOR PERHAPS 20 MILES. FOR THIS REASON THE AIRPORT IS CLOSE TO THE CITY AND TO THE GOVERNMENTAL DISTRICT JUST ACROSS THE RIVER ON THE EAST BANK.

THE SECRETARY'S CAR ARRIVED AT THE COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS ALMOST BEFORE MOST OF THE CROWDS KNEW THEY HAD BEEN OUTFLANKED.

BUT SEVERAL HUNDREDS WERE MASSED NEAR THE COUNCIL BUILDING BY THE TIME ROUNTREE EMERGED FROM THE PROTOCOL SIGNING.

SEVERAL TRUCKS PILED HIGH WITH SHOUTING, CHANTING YOUTHS ROLLED PAST THE EMBASSY.

INSIDE, ROUNTREE WAS HOLDING HIS FIRST MEETING WITH EMBASSY OFFICERS WITH THE SOUND OF SHOUTS CLEARLY AUDIBLE IN THE AMBASSADORIAL SUITE.

MOST OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE AFOOT. BAREFOOT YOUTHS AND GIRLS OR URCHINS STRAGGLED BACK ACROSS MUDDY FIELDS TO THEIR MUD-AND-BRICK STRAW-THATCHED HOVELS, WHICH ARE HOME FOR MANY OF BAGHDAD'S PEOPLE.

MANY APPARENTLY HAD BEEN LED TO BELIEVE ROUNTREE'S CHIEF AIM IS TO RESURRECT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE LATE PREMIER NURI SAID, WHO WAS SLAIN ALONG WITH KING FAISAL IN THE REVOLUTIONARY COUP THAT DESTROYED THE DYNASTY LAST JULY 14 AND SET UP THE IRAQI REPUBLIC.

ROUNTREE, ON A XXX 6TH GRAF CAIRO NIGHT LEAD (A66).

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WITH BAGHDAD- ROUNTREE

WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)—THE STATE DEPARTMENT TONIGHT DEPLORED THE TREATMENT ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE WILLIAM ROUNTREE GOT ON HIS ARRIVAL IN BAGHDAD AND EXPRESSED HOPE THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT WOULD TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE.

A BRIEF SHOWER OF MUDBALLS AND EGGS AND A SIZEABLE ROCK HURLED FROM MOBS OF YOUNG IRAQIS GREETED ROUNTREE BUT NONE OF THE MISSILES HIT HIM. THE MOBS SHOUTED "GO HOME, ROUNTREE." BANNERS WITH SIMILAR SLOGANS ALSO WERE DISPLAYED.

ROUNTREE WENT TO IRAQ FOR 36 HOURS OF TALKS WITH PREMIER ABDEL KARIM KASSEN AND IRAQ'S FOREIGN AND FINANCE MINISTERS AS PART OF A MIDDLE EAST FACT FINDING TRIP.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT GOT A FAST ACCOUNT OF ROUNTREE'S TROUBLES.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SUBSEQUENTLY SAID:

"WE DEPLORE THE FACT THAT CERTAIN ELEMENTS USED THE OCCASION TO DEMONSTRATE FOR THEIR OWN OBVIOUS PURPOSE."

NOTING THAT ROUNTREE WAS IN BAGHDAD AS AN OFFICIAL GUEST OF THE GOVERNMENT, THE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN ADDED "WE HAVE EVERY REASON TO EXPECT THAT THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE WHATEVER MEASURES ARE NECESSARY TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE OF THE TROUBLE."

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NIGHT LEAD ROUNTREE (450)
CAIRO, DEC. 15 (AP)-THE MIDDLE EAST NEWS AGENCY REPORTED TONIGHT U.S. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE WILLIAM ROUNTREE WAS MET BY ANGRY IRAQI DEMONSTRATORS SHOUTING ANTI-AMERICAN SLOGANS ON HIS ARRIVAL IN BAGHDAD TODAY.

(CENSORSHIP PREVAILS IN IRAQ. THIS DISPATCH QUOTES AN AGENCY THAT IS CENTERED IN THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, WITH HEADQUARTERS AT CAIRO. IT INCLUDES ALSO MATERIAL SUPPLIED BY THE AP STAFF CORRESPONDENT IN BAGHDAD PRIOR TO ROUNTREE'S ARRIVAL).

QUOTING A DISPATCH FROM BAGHDAD, THE AGENCY SAID IRAQI AUTHORITIES TOOK SPECIAL MEASURES TO PROTECT ROUNTREE, REINFORCING THE GUARD AT THE AIRPORT AND PROVIDING HIS CAR WITH AN ARMORED ESCORT.

THE REPORT SAID AIRPORT WORKERS SHOUTED "GO HOME ROUNTREE," AS HE STEPPED OFF HIS PLANE. OUTSIDE THE AIRPORT CROWDS CARRIED BANNERS READING "DO NOT PROFANE OUR SOIL, YOU ENVOY OF CONSPIRACIES."

ROUNTREE, ON A FACT-FIND TOUR OF THE MIDDLE EAST, TOLD NEWSMEN BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE FROM CAIRO EARLIER TODAY THAT HE WAS GOING TO IRAQ AS A FRIEND.

"THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT ACCEPTED MY VISIT, AND I HOPE MY TALKS THERE WILL BE AS FRUITFUL AS THOSE HELD IN OTHER COUNTRIES," HE SAID. ROUNTREE CONFERRED AT LENGTH YESTERDAY WITH PRESIDENT NASSER AND OTHER OFFICIALS OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC.

ROUNTREE LEFT AMID PREDICTIONS BY CAIRO NEWSPAPERS THAT HIS PRESENCE IN BAGHDAD WOULD SET OFF NEW DISTURBANCES THERE. A VIOLENT ANTI-AMERICAN CAMPAIGN, PARTLY FOMENTED BY THE POWERFUL IRAQI COMMUNIST PARTY, HAS BEEN UNDER WAY IN BAGHDAD FOR WEEKS.

BUT THE IRAQI REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT HEADED BY PREMIER ABDEL KARIM KASSEM HAD GIVEN ASSURANCES THAT ROUNTREE WAS WELCOME IN IRAQ.

(ASKED AT A WASHINGTON NEWS CONFERENCE IF KASSEM HAS PROMISED NECESSARY SECURITY MEASURES FOR ROUNTREE, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE SAID, "IT IS IMPLICIT IN SAYING THAT HE IS WELCOME.")

PRIOR TO ROUNTREE'S ARRIVAL, AN AIR OF FEVERISH ACTIVITY HUNG OVER THE IRAQI CAPITAL.

MANY IRAQIS APPARENTLY THOUGHT HIS VISIT IS THE GREATEST EVENT IN THE REPUBLIC'S FIVE-MONTH HISTORY.

SIGNS IN ARABIC AND OCCASIONALLY IN ENGLISH ATTACKING ROUNTREE WERE PLASTERED OR HANGING IN VARIOUS QUARTERS OF THE CITY.

MOST OF THEM SAID SIMPLY "ROUNTREE GO HOME." OTHERS SAID "TELL IKE IRAQ IS PEACE-LOVING." "DON'T DIRTY OUR FREE LAND, ROUNTREE."

BAGHDAD'S LEFTWING MORNING PAPERS ALL CARRIED BANNER HEADLINES PROCLAIMING "ROUNTREE GO HOME" ALTHOUGH PAPERS WHICH MORE ACCURATELY REFLECT THE GOVERNMENTAL ATTITUDE SIMPLY HEADLINED THE FACT OF HIS ARRIVAL.

ROUNTREE IS TO SEE KASSEM AND FOREIGN MINISTER ABDUL JABBAR HOMARD TUESDAY, FINANCE MINISTER MOHAMMED HADID AND PERHAPS OTHER MINISTERS WEDNESDAY. HE IS LEAVING BAGHDAD THURSDAY AFTERNOON, WHICH MEANS HE IS STAYING LONGER THAN ORIGINALLY PLANNED.

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(560) IRAQ INTERPRETIVE

BY WARREN ROGERS, JR.

WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)-MUD, EGGS AND A SINGLE ROCK FLUNG AT A MILD MANNERED AMERICAN HAVE CONVINCED TOP U.S. OFFICIALS THAT IRAQ'S NEW GOVERNMENT IS TILTING DANGEROUSLY CLOSE TO MOSCOW DOMINATION. THE UNITED STATES HAS KEPT A WARY EYE ON BAGHDAD EVER SINCE THE BLOODY JULY 14 COUP WHICH OVERTHREW THE PRO-WEST GOVERNMENT OF KING

FAISAL.

COL. ABDEL KARIM KASSEM HEADED THAT COUP AND EVER SINCE HAS APPARENTLY TRIED TO KEEP IRAQ ON A NEUTRAL COURSE -- NEITHER PRO-WEST, PRO-SOVIET NOR PRO-NASSER.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS WATCHING HIS STRUGGLE HAVE YET TO SEE ANY SIGN THAT HE HAS COME CLOSE TO WINNING IT. THE LATEST NEWS FROM BAGHDAD INDICATES, IN THE OPINION OF WELL-QUALIFIED DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS, THAT PRO-COMMUNIST ELEMENTS ARE IN THE ASCENDANCY.

WILLIAM ROUNTREE, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR MIDDLE EAST AFFAIRS, ARRIVED IN BAGHDAD TODAY ON A GOOD WILL MISSION. HE WAS GREETED BY THE CLASSIC COMMUNIST SLOGAN, "ROUNTREE GO HOME," AND HIS CAR WAS HIT BY MUDBALLS, EGGS AND ONE STONE. ROUNTREE WAS UNHURT.

BUT THE INCIDENT CLIMAXED AN ANTI-AMERICAN, INDEED A PERSONALIZED ANTI-ROUNTREE, PROPAGANDA ATTACK IN THE IRAQ PRESS. SINCE THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT CENSORS ITS PRESS, IT WAS CLEAR THAT KASSEM, EVEN IF HE WANTED TO, WAS POWERLESS TO STOP THE ATTACK.

REPORTS FROM BAGHDAD REACHING WASHINGTON IN RECENT DAYS HAVE SAID PRO-COMMUNIST IRAQIS ARE TURNING UP IN MORE AND MORE OFFICIAL POSITIONS. A GENERAL RETURN OF SUCH PEOPLE WAS REPORTED ON THE HEELS OF KASSEM'S SUCCESSFUL COUP.

A FEW WEEKS AGO KASSEM SUCCEEDED IN OUSTING A GOOD MANY OFFICIALS WHO WERE FRANKLY SUPPORTERS OF PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC. AFTER THAT, THERE APPEARED TO BE LESS AGITATION FOR IRAQ'S MERGER WITH EGYPT AND SYRIA IN NASSER'S UAR.

BUT KASSEM APPARENTLY HAD TO ENLIST THE HELP OF PRO-COMMUNISTS IN SUPPRESSING THE PRO-NASSERITES. THE MERE EXERCISE OF THEIR POWER APPEARED TO INCREASE THE STRENGTH OF THE PRO-COMMUNISTS.

A WEEK OR SO AGO A RESHUFFLE WAS REPORTED IN KASSEM'S CABINET AND GOVERNMENT IN GENERAL. WHILE PRECISE INFORMATION IS DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN, THE GENERAL IMPRESSION WAS THAT MANY OF THE PURGED WERE PRO-NASSERITES. ALSO, IT APPEARED THAT THEIR REPLACEMENTS WERE FELLOW TRAVELERS IF NOT SILENT COMMUNISTS.

ALL OF THESE THINGS ARE FODDER FOR SPECULATION AMONG DIPLOMATS WHO KNOW THE AREA. BUT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS CAREFULLY AVOIDED MAKING ANY COMMENT, ONE WAY OR THE OTHER, ON THE DEVELOPMENTS.

EVEN TONIGHT, AFTER ROUNTREE SUFFERED HIS INDIGNITIES, THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD SAY ONLY THAT IT DEPLORED THE INCIDENT, AND HOPED THAT ANY FURTHER REPETITION WOULD BE PREVENTED.

THE TREATMENT OF ROUNTREE PRETTY MUCH PARALLELED WHAT HAPPENED TO VICE PRESIDENT NIXON IN VENEZUELA AND WHAT ALMOST HAPPENED TO SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES IN MEXICO CITY. THE IRONIC TOUCH WAS PROVIDED, IN THAT ROUNTREE IS AMONG THE MILDEST OF MEN WHILE NIXON AND DULLES ARE CONSIDERED RATHER TOUGH VETERANS OF THE BUSINESS OF DEALING WITH CROWDS.

THE 40-YEAR-OLD ROUNTREE, BESPECTACLED, GANGLING AND SLOW-SPEAKING, COMES FROM SWAINSBORO, GA. ALTHOUGH HE HAS SPENT MUCH TIME TRAVELING, INCLUDING IN THE FAR EAST, HE RECENTLY HAD COMPLAINED HE HAD BEEN CONFINED TOO LONG TO HIS STATE DEPARTMENT DESK.

NIXON'S TRIP TO VENEZUELA WAS MARRED BY VIOLENT MOBS, OBVIOUSLY EGGED ON BY COMMUNIST ELEMENTS. ALERT MEXICO CITY POLICE WERE ABLE TO SMASH A SIMILAR PLOT AGAINST DULLES EARLY THIS MONTH BY SEIZING PAMPHLETS AND ARRESTING AGITATORS IN ADVANCE OF DULLES' NOV. 30 ARRIVAL IN MEXICO CITY.

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NIGHT LEAD NATO

BY GEORGE MCARTHUR

PARIS, DEC. 15 (AP)-U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE JOHN FOSTER DULLES

AND FRENCH PREMIER CHARLES DE GAULLE FAILED TODAY TO SWEEP AWAY UNDERLYING DIFFERENCES BETWEEN FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES ON THE EVE OF IMPORTANT ATLANTIC PACT CONFERENCES.

THE TWO MET FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF IN DE GAULLE'S OFFICIAL RESIDENCE. GUARDED PRESS STATEMENTS AFTER THE MEETING MADE IT PLAIN THAT WHILE THE MEETING WAS CORDIAL THE TWO MEN SAW EYE-TO-EYE ONLY ON THE BERLIN CRISIS, THE ISSUE WHICH IS EXPECTED TO OVERSHADOW ALL ELSE AT THE NATO TALKS.

ON BERLIN, BOTH REAFFIRMED THE WESTERN POSITION TAKEN YESTERDAY THAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, AND THE UNITED STATES WOULD MAINTAIN THEIR POSITION AND KEEP FREE ACCESS TO THE CITY DESPITE THREATENING MOVES FROM SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV.

DULLES AND THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF ALL THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES SIT DOWN TOMORROW TO CONSIDER THE BERLIN QUESTION AND A WIDE RANGE OF DEFENSE PROBLEMS, MANY OF WHICH INVOLVE FRANCE'S POSITION IN THE GEOGRAPHICAL HEART OF THE ALLIANCE.

PAUL-HENRI SPAAK OF BELGIUM, THE SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION COUNCIL, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE DURING THE DAY THE BERLIN QUESTION UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD DOMINATE THE TALKS.

BUT HE SAID THE CONFEREES VERY LIKE WOULD DISCUSS THE QUESTION OF MILITARY DISENGAGEMENT IN CENTRAL EUROPE. THIS IS THE IDEA TO PULL TROOPS BACK AWAY FROM WHAT MIGHT BE AN ATOM-FREE ZONE, AN IDEA PUSHED HARD BY FOREIGN MINISTER ADAM RAPACKI OF POLAND, AND OFTEN CALLED THE RAPACKI PLAN.

AFTER TODAY'S DULLES-DE GAULLE TALKS, INFORMED SOURCES SUGGESTED THE FRENCH WERE MIXING POLITICS WITH THE WEST'S DEFENSE NEEDS IN A DIPLOMATIC MANEUVER TO BOLSTER FRANCE'S ROLE IN NATO.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID DULLES AGREED TO CONTINUE DISCUSSIONS ON HOW TO KEEP CLOSER TOGETHER ON INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS BUT IT SEEMS CLEAR THAT DULLES WENT NO FURTHER TOWARD SATISFYING FRANCE'S DEMANDS FOR A GREATER ROLE IN NATO. PRESSED FOR MORE DETAILS OF THE MEETING A SPOKESMAN SAID:

"NEITHER OF THEM WANTED TO RELEASE THIS MUCH."

THEIR DIFFERENCES RUN DEEP. THEY INCLUDE FRANCE'S REFUSAL TO ACCEPT MISSILE BASES ON HER SOIL -- AS AGREED TO LAST YEAR IN PRINCIPLE BY ALL NATO MEMBERS -- AND FRENCH OBJECTIONS TOWARD INTEGRATED AIR DEFENSES. MILITARY EXPERTS SAY THE FRENCH OBJECTIONS ARE BEING RAISED SOLELY TO FORWARD POLITICAL AMBITIONS.

THE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTRY, STUNG BY THESE CHARGES, ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING IT WAS EXTREMELY SURPRISED BY THE CAMPAIGN IN SOME FOREIGN NEWSPAPERS REPRESENTING THE ATTITUDE OF FRANCE AS MAKING USE OF A VERITABLE VETO TO HALT MILITARY PROGRESS. THE FRENCH STATEMENT WAS AIMED AT THE BRITISH PRESS, WHICH OVER LAST WEEKEND BLOSSOMED WITH STORIES OBVIOUSLY EMANATING FROM OFFICIAL BRITISH SOURCES.

"THIS CAMPAIGN," THE FRENCH SAID, "NOT ONLY IS CONTRARY TO ESTABLISHED USAGE ACCORDING TO WHICH MILITARY PROBLEMS ARE EXCLUDED FROM SUCH DEBATE ON THE PUBLIC SQUARE, BUT ALSO RESTS ON INDISCRETIONS, THE TENDENTIOUS CHARACTER OF WHICH IS EVIDENT."

THE NATURE OF THE RIFT BETWEEN FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES WAS DEMONSTRATED BY TWO QUESTIONS WHICH DE GAULLE PUT TO DULLES. DE GAULLE WANTED TO KNOW WHY THE UNITED STATES HAD VOTED FOR THE ENTRY OF NEWLY INDEPENDENT GUINEA INTO THE UNITED NATIONS. HE ALSO ASKED WHY THE UNITED STATES HAD ABSTAINED FROM THE VOTE TO CONSIDER THE ALGERIAN QUESTION RATHER THAN VOTING AGAINST. THESE QUESTIONS WERE REVEALED BY FRENCH SOURCES WHO DID NOT GIVE DULLES' RESPONSE.

FOR THE FRENCH A VOTE FOR GUINEA IN THE U.N. WAS CONSIDERED UNFRIENDLY BECAUSE THE TINY AFRICAN STATE WAS THE SOLE FRENCH TERRITORY

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TO VOTE ITSELF INDEPENDENT IN LAST SEPTEMBER'S REFERENDUM. FRANCE CONSIDERS GUINEA IMMATURE AND UNGRATEFUL.

ON ALGERIA, FRANCE CONSIDERS ONLY THAT THE NATIONALISTS THERE HAVE BEEN WAGING REBELLION FOR FOUR YEARS. U.S. CONCERN ABOUT GENERAL ARAB-U.S. RELATIONS ARE CONSIDERED BY THE FRENCH TO BE LESS IMPORTANT THAN AMERICAN-FRENCH SOLIDARITY.

DESPITE THE TOUGH SESSION WITH DE GAULLE AND A BUSY DAY OF OTHER MEETINGS, THE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE IS BEARING UP WELL FROM HIS INTESTINAL AILMENT. HIS AIDES SAY THE ROUND OF DIPLOMACY IS ACTING AS MEDICINE TO THE 70-YEAR-OLD SECRETARY. BUT HE IS PASSING UP ANOTHER DIPLOMATIC DINNER TONIGHT. HE HAS KEPT HIMSELF OUT OF THE SOCIAL SIDE OF DIPLOMACY WHILE HERE, SKIPPING FORMAL DINNERS AND STICKING TO MAN-TO-MAN TALKS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.

THE QUESTION OF MISSILE BASES ON FRENCH SOIL WILL MOST LIKELY BE THROWN TO THE NATO MEETING, OR AT LEAST THE DEFENSE EXPERTS SITTING AT THE SAME TIME, WHEN THE FORMAL TALKS START TOMORROW. THE ITALIANS ARE COMING TO THE NATO MEETING WITH AGREEMENT ALMOST COMPLETED ON ACCEPTING MISSILE BASES. THE BRITISH AGREED LONG AGO.

MANY OTHER ITEMS WERE THE SUBJECT OF LAST-MINUTE TALK AMONG THE MINISTERS. ONE WAS WEST GERMANY'S DESIRE TO SEE THE NORTH NORTHERN COMMAND REVISED TO GIVE THE GERMANS A BIGGER ROLE. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THIS WOULD RUN INTO STIFF OPPOSITION FROM MANY OF THE NATO COUNTRIES IN ADDITION TO SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS, WHICH ALREADY HAVE ANNOUNCED THEIR OPPOSITION.

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WITH PARIS (190)

BONN, GERMANY, DEC. 15 (AP)--WEST GERMAN OPPOSITION PARTIES CALLED TODAY FOR WESTERN NEGOTIATIONS WITH MOSCOW ON DISENGAGEMENT IN EUROPE. THE SOCIALISTS SAID THE "NO" OF THE BIG THREE IN PARIS TO SOVIET BERLIN PROPOSALS WAS NO GREAT DIPLOMATIC ACHIEVEMENT, AND DID NOT IN ITSELF REMOVE THE DANGER TO BERLIN OR CONTRIBUTE TO THE CITY'S SECURITY.

THERE MUST BE AN ATTEMPT TO SETTLE THE BERLIN QUESTION WITHIN AN ALL-GERMAN AND EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT--"SOMETHING IN THE NATURE OF THE RAPACKI PLAN WHICH OFFERS THE POSSIBILITY OF EASING TENSION IN EUROPE."

THE PARLIAMENTARY LEADER OF THE FREE DEMOCRATS, DR. ERICH MENDT SAID THE LATEST RUSSIAN PROPOSALS TO NATO COUNTRIES COULD NOT

BE JUST BRUSHED ASIDE AS OUTDATED OR PROPAGANDA BLUFF. HE SAID IT WAS UP TO THE WEST TO PUT FORWARD COUNTERPROPOSALS.

CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS SAID THE DETERMINATION OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO STAND ON THEIR RIGHTS IN BERLIN MEANT THE GERMANS COULD VIEW COMING EVENTS WITH SERENITY.

THE WEST IS NOT OPPOSED TO THE SOVIET DESIRE FOR A SUMMIT CONFERENCE, BUT THE APPROACH TO THAT AIM HAS BEEN UPSET BY SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV'S ULTIMATIVE TACTICS, THE PARTY PRESS SERVICE SAID.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD EUROPEAN TRADE (300)

BY DAVID MASON
PARIS, TUESDAY, DEC. 16 (AP)—A THREATENED EUROPEAN TRADE WAR WAS AVERTED AT LEAST TEMPORARILY EARLY TODAY BY AGREEMENT AMONG 17 NATIONS TO STUDY BRITISH AND FRENCH COMPROMISE PLANS.

WEARY NEGOTIATORS PUT OFF A FINAL DECISION UNTIL JAN. 15. BUT A SIX-NATION EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET WILL GO INTO EFFECT AS SCHEDULED NEXT JAN. 1.

THE COMPROMISE PLANS WERE NOT MADE PUBLIC IN DETAIL. INFORMANTS SAID THE CONFEREES AGREED THAT THE OFFER OF THE COMMON MARKET SIX TO EXTEND SOME OF THEIR ECONOMIC MEASURES TO THE REMAINING 11 MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC) WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE WITH THE NEW YEAR.

THE AGREEMENT CLIMAXED TALKS THAT WENT ON ALL DAY MONDAY AND LATE INTO THE NIGHT. CONFEREES SAID THAT AT TIMES THEY BECAME BITTER, WITH THE FRENCH OFTEN DESERTED BY THEIR FIVE COMMON MARKET PARTNERS. THE DELEGATES FROM THE 17 OEEC NATIONS REACHED THEIR UNEASY TRUCE AND BROKE OFF TALKS JUST BEFORE MIDNIGHT.

EARLIER BRITAIN HAD SERVED NOTICE ON THE OTHER NATIONS OF POSSIBLE ECONOMIC REPRISALS AGAINST THE 6-NATION EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET GROUP THAT MAKES UP ONE BLOC INSIDE THE OEEC UNLESS THE SIX AGREED TO BROADEN THEIR ORGANIZATION TO INCLUDE THE REMAINING 11 OEEC NATIONS IN A FREE TRADE AREA.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE MET THAT THREAT WITH THE CHALLENGE: "FRANCE WILL NOT NEGOTIATE IN ANY WAY UNDER THREATS."

BUT AFTER THE LATE NIGHT LAST DITCH MEETING, SIR SAVID ECCLES, PRESIDENT OF BRITAIN'S BOARD OF TRADE, EMERGED SMILING TO ANNOUNCE: "WE HAVE ACHIEVED ALL WE SET OUT TO GET WHEN WE ARRIVED HERE."

COUVE DE MURVILLE WAS ASKED WHETHER HE WAS SATISFIED.

"MORE OR LESS," HE REPLIED.

ECCLES VOICED BRITAIN'S REPRISAL THREAT NOT LONG AFTER HE HAD OFFERED TO ACCEPT MANY OF THE COMMON MARKET GROUP'S CONCESSIONS AS A STOPGAP MOVE.

THE COMMON MARKET PARTNERS THEN TOLD BRITAIN TO PUT THE OFFER IN WRITING FOR STUDY.

REACTION TO ECCLES' REPRISAL THREAT HAD DEEPEINED FEAR THAT THE COMMON MARKET TREATY MIGHT LEAD TO A TRADE WAR AMONG THE NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES OF WESTERN EUROPE.

THE FRENCH, GERMANS, ITALIANS AND THE BENELUX NATIONS OF BELGIUM, NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG MAKE UP THE COMMON MARKET AREA.

THESE SIX PLUS 11 OTHER EUROPEAN POWERS MAKE UP THE LARGER ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), WHICH IS CONSIDERING THE RIVAL PLANS.

THE COMMON MARKET SIX HAD OFFERED SOME PROPOSALS DESIGNED TO REDUCE THE POSSIBILITY OF TRADE DISCRIMINATION AGAINST COUNTRIES NOT MEMBERS OF THE COMMON MARKET. BRITAIN AND THE OTHER NONMEMBER COUNTRIES FOUND THE PROPOSALS UNACCEPTABLE.

THE BRITISH THREAT OF REPRISAL CAME DURING A MARATHON SESSION OF OEEC MINISTERS. TWICE THE SESSIONS WERE RECESSED TO ALLOW THE MINISTERS TIME FOR STUDY. A FINAL NIGHT SESSION WAS SCHEDULED IN A LAST DITCH EFFORT TO PATCH THINGS UP.

THE CONFERENCE BEGAN WITH ALMOST UNANIMOUS AGREEMENT THAT SOME SORT OF MULTILATERAL ASSOCIATION IS NEEDED TO SERVE AS A FRAMEWORK OF CONTINUING COOPERATION BETWEEN "THE SIX" AND "THE ELEVEN." BUT THE MINISTERS BEGAN DISAGREEING OVER HOW TO BUILD UP THAT FRAMEWORK.

ECCLES, WITH THE BROAD SUPPORT OF SWEDEN, NORWAY AND PORTUGAL, LATER CAME UP WITH WHAT, IN ECONOMIC TERMS, AMOUNTED TO A DRAMATIC OFFER.

IT WAS THAT BRITAIN WOULD BE READY TO MATCH ANY TRADING CONCESSION --IN CUTTING TARIFFS OR BOOSTING IMPORTS--THAT "THE SIX" WERE MAKING, BUT ONLY ON A TWO-WAY BASIS.

TENSION BEGAN TO MOUNT AMONG THE STAID, STRIPED-TROUSERED ECONOMISTS AND MINISTERS.

"THE SIX" WENT INTO A HUDDLE, AT THE SUGGESTION OF WEST GERMAN VICE CHANCELLOR LUDWIG ERHARD. BUT IT WAS CLEAR THEY COULD NOT IMMEDIATELY AGREE ON ACCEPTING OR REJECTING THE BRITISH PROPOSAL. BACK THEY CAME TO THE CONFERENCE ROOM TO TELL THE BRITISH TO PUT THEIR OFFER IN WRITING.

AT THAT THE BURLY ECCLES LET LOOSE:

"IN THIS CASE BRITAIN MUST RETAIN HER RIGHT TO TAKE DEFENSIVE ACTION TO PROTECT HER TRADE," HE SAID.

WITH SOME HEAT ECCLES ASKED HOW FRANCE COULD EASE TRADE RULES WITH ITS COMMON MARKET PARTNERS AND YET FALL DOWN ON SIMILAR COMMITMENTS WITH OEEC PARTNERS.

THIS WAS DISCRIMINATION, HE CLAIMED.

FRENCH SOURCES SAID HE INDICATED BRITAIN WOULD HAVE TO RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REVISE ITS COMMERCIAL POLICIES TOWARDS FRANCE.

THE ATMOSPHERE AROUND THE CONFERENCE TABLE BECAME ELECTRIC.

ERHARD AGAIN INTERVENED TO SUGGEST THAT MAYBE THESE COMPLICATED PROBLEMS COULD NOT BE SETTLED IN A MATTER OF A FEW HOURS.

BUT BOTH DE MURVILLE AND ECCLES, OBVIOUSLY ANGRY BY NOW, WERE NOT TO BE PUT OFF.

DE MURVILLE DECLARED FRANCE WOULD NOT NEGOTIATE UNDER THE THREAT OF REPRISALS.

ECCLES DEMANDED THAT THE DISCUSSIONS BE CONTINUED--NOT ADJOURNED--AFTER THE RECESS.

DELEGATES LATER GAVE THE IMPRESSION THAT THERE IS LIKELY TO BE A NEW MEETING OF OEEC MINISTERS IN SEVERAL DAYS TO CONSIDER NEXT STEPS.

THERE WAS SOME SPECULATION THAT BRITISH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN, FRENCH PREMIER DE GAULLE AND WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR ADENAUER MIGHT HAVE TO HOLD A LITTLE SUMMIT MEETING TO DISCUSS THE DIFFERENCES. MACMILLAN AND ADENAUER ALREADY HAVE ARRANGED TO MEET IN THE NEW YEAR.

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PARIS, DEC. 15 (AP)-LAWMAKERS OF SEVEN NATIONS WERE REPORTED TONIGHT TO HAVE JOINED FORCES IN A MOVE THAT WOULD BAR MILITARY COMMANDERS FROM USING TACTICAL ATOMIC WEAPONS UNLESS ORDERED BY THEIR GOVERNMENTS TO DO SO.

SIR JAMES HUTCHINSON, PRESIDENT OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION (WEU) ASSEMBLY, TOLD REPORTERS THAT NOW "SMALLER TACTICAL ATOMIC WEAPONS MAY BE USED AT THE DISCRETION OF LOCAL COMMANDERS." THESE WEAPONS INCLUDE GUNS THAT FIRE SHELLS BEARING ATOMIC WARHEADS.

WEU PARLIAMENTARIANS MEET WEDNESDAY AND, HUTCHINSON SAID, WILL DEBATE AND PROBABLY APPROVE A RECOMMENDATION FROM ITS DEFENSE COMMITTEE WHICH SAYS:

"FIRST USE OF TACTICAL NUCLEAR WEAPONS SHOULD ONLY BE AUTHORIZED BY EFFECTIVE JOINT POLITICAL DECISIONS."

WEU COMPRISES BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, WEST GERMANY, ITALY, HOLLAND AND LUXEMBOURG.

THE DECISIONS OF ITS ASSEMBLY ARE NOT BINDING ON GOVERNMENTS.

BUT, HUTCHINSON SAID, THEY COULD BE TAKEN AS REPRESENTING STRONG POLITICAL FACTORS THAT WOULD BE CONSIDERED IN POLICY MAKING.

AT THE MOMENT THE ALLIED POWERS ARE BOUND TO CONSULT EACH OTHER BEFORE ORDERING USE OF ANY BIG NUCLEAR WEAPONS, SUCH AS HYDROGEN BOMBS OR GUIDED MISSILES WITH NUCLEAR WARHEADS.

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NIGHT LEAD ULBRICHT-BERLIN

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

BERLIN, DEC. 15 (AP)-EAST GERMANY AND POLAND CALLED TODAY FOR AN EAST-WEST SUMMIT CONFERENCE TO AVERT THE DANGER OF WAR.

THE TWO COMMUNIST NATIONS, IN A JOINT COMMUNIQUE, URGED CHIEFS OF THE GREAT POWERS TO RENEW NEGOTIATIONS ON DISARMAMENT AND CREATION OF A CENTRAL EUROPEAN ZONE FREE OF ATOMIC WEAPONS.

"THIS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO REDUCING THE DANGER OF ARMED CONFLICT IN EUROPE," SAID THE COMMUNIQUE, SIGNED BY WALTER ULBRICHT AND WLADYSLAW GOMULKA, COMMUNIST PARTY BOSSES OF EAST GERMANY AND POLAND. THE COMMUNIQUE, PUBLISHED BY THE EAST GERMAN NEWS AGENCY ADN, WAS ISSUED SHORTLY AFTER ULBRICHT RETURNED TO BERLIN FROM A SIX-DAY VISIT TO POLAND.

GOMULKA JOINED WITH ULBRICHT IN DEMANDING THE OUSTER OF WESTERN TROOPS FROM BERLIN AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE SOVIET PROPOSAL TO TURN THE ISOLATED METROPOLIS INTO A FREE CITY.

BUT THE TWO COMMUNIST LEADERS, IN SOUNDING A CALL FOR A SUMMIT PARLEY, DID NOT INDICATE THAT MOSCOW WAS READY TO PLACE BERLIN ON THE AGENDA.

"THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC AND THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF POLAND SUPPORT FULLY AND COMPLETELY THE INITIATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION FOR THE CALLING OF A SUMMIT CONFERENCE TO SOLVE URGENT AND PRESSING INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THEY APPARENTLY WERE REFERRING TO A SOVIET PROPOSAL FOR A CONFERENCE RAISED IN A NOTE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT POWERS OVER THE WEEKEND.

THE COMMUNIQUE OFFERED NO ENCOURAGEMENT TO THOSE WESTERN STATES-MEN WHO FAVOR A TOP-LEVEL CONFERENCE WITH THE RUSSIANS ON THE WHOLE GERMAN PROBLEM, INCLUDING BERLIN. IT INSISTED THAT GERMAN REUNIFICATION WAS A MATTER FOR THE TWO GERMAN STATES TO SETTLE THEMSELVES. THE WEST HAS LONG DEMANDED GERMAN REUNIFICATION THROUGH FREE ELECTIONS.

THE COMMUNIQUE ACCUSED WEST GERMANY OF PLOTTING A DRIVE TO RECONQUER THE GERMAN TERRITORIES CEDED TO POLAND AFTER WORLD WAR II. PLEDGING TO DEFEND POLAND'S ODER-NEISSE BOUNDARY, ULBRICHT AND

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GOMULKA WARNED THAT ANY WESTERN ATTACK UPON EASTERN EUROPE WOULD BE MET WITH THE COMBINED MIGHT OF THE WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES, INCLUDING RUSSIA.

IT WAS ALSO AN IMPLIED WARNING AGAINST ANY ARMED ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH TO WEST BERLIN IF A COMMUNIST BLOCKADE IS CLAMPED ON THE ISOLATED CITY.

EARLIER, EAST GERMANY'S OFFICIAL COMMUNIST YOUTH NEWSPAPER WARNED THAT WESTERN TANKS ATTEMPTING TO CRASH THROUGH EAST GERMAN CONTROLS ON WEST BERLIN'S SUPPLY LINES WOULD BE MET WITH COMMUNIST TANKS.

"WE ALSO HAVE TANKS AND OTHER WEAPONS THAT ARE EVEN STRONGER," SAID THE NEWSPAPER. IT WARNED THAT A SINGLE SHOT FROM ONE OF THE ALLIED TANKS IN WEST BERLIN COULD TOUCH OFF WORLD WAR III.

DERIDING THE 9,000-MAN FRENCH, BRITISH AND AMERICAN GARRISON IN WEST BERLIN, THE NEWSPAPER SAID: "IN CASE OF WAR, THEY WOULD BE SITTING IN A MOUSETRAP."

THE EAST GERMAN-POLISH COMMUNIQUE INDICATED THAT GOMULKA, ONCE A VOCAL APOSTLE OF INDEPENDENT COMMUNISM, HAS SLIPPED CLOSER TO THE SIDE OF STALINIST ULBRICHT. IT PLEDGED "AN UNCOMPROMISING BATTLE AGAINST REVISIONISM, WHICH AT THE PRESENT STAGE REPRESENTS THE CHIEF DANGER" TO THE COMMUNIST WORLD.

MOSCOW HAS USED REVISIONISM AS A CATCH-ALL PHRASE TO DESCRIBE ANY ATTEMPT BY A COMMUNIST TO PURSUE AN INDEPENDENT LINE.

GOMULKA, WHOSE COUNTRY HAS ACCEPTED U.S. ECONOMIC AID, JOINED ULBRICHT IN DENOUNCING AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY ALL OVER THE WORLD.

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BONN, GERMANY, DEC. 15 (AP)-THE FIRST WEST GERMAN AIR FORCE UNITS

WILL BE HANDED OVER TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION'S

COMMAND EARLY IN THE NEW YEAR, THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

SO FAR THE ONLY COMBAT-READY UNITS TURNED OVER TO NATO HAVE BEEN FROM THE ARMY AND NAVY.

THE AIR FORCE'S INITIAL CONTRIBUTION WILL BE SEVERAL SQUADRONS OF F-84 FIGHTER-BOMBERS.

EVENTUALLY THE NEW LUFTWAFFE WILL REACH A STRENGTH OF ABOUT 1,200 COMBAT AIRCRAFT.

A NEW WING OF THREE SQUADRONS OF F84 FIGHTER-BOMBERS WILL BE PUT INTO SERVICE TOMORROW BY THE LUFTWAFFE CHIEF OF STAFF, LT. GEN. JOSEF KAMMhuber. THE WING'S THREE SQUADRONS OF 25 PLANES EACH ARE

STATIONED AT FASSBERG. FASSBERG WAS ONE OF THE MAIN BASES OF THE

AIRLIFT WHICH BROKE THE RUSSIAN BLOCKADE OF BERLIN A DECADE AGO.

THE NEW WING BRINGS THE LUFTWAFFE STRENGTH TO NINE FIGHTER-BOMBER SQUADRONS AND TWO TRANSPORT SQUADRONS.

THE TOTAL STRENGTH OF THE WEST GERMAN ARMED FORCE WILL REACH 200,000 EARLY IN THE NEW YEAR. IN ADDITION THERE ARE 13,000 FRONTIER GUARDS.

IN COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, ACCORDING TO A REPORT OF THE BONN MINISTRY FOR ALL-GERMAN AFFAIRS, THERE ARE 1,205,000 TRAINED MEN. THE REPORT SAID THESE CONSIST OF 200,000 FULLY TRAINED AND WELL ARMED MEN IN THE ARMED SERVICES AND MOTORIZED POLICE, 80,000 RESERVISTS AND 925,000 MEMBERS OF MILITIA GROUPS SUCH AS THE ARMED FIGHTING GROUPS IN FACTORIES AND THE SO-CALLED SOCIETY FOR SPORT AND TECHNIQUE. THE LATTER GIVES INTENSIVE MILITARY TRAINING AND POLITICAL INDOCTRINATION TO YOUTHS BETWEEN 15 AND 25.

THE BASIS OF THE MILITARY STRENGTH OF EAST GERMANY IS THE NATIONAL PEOPLE'S ARMY OF 110,000 MEN. THIS HAS TWO ARMORED DIVISIONS, FIVE MOTORIZED INFANTRY DIVISIONS, ONE ANTI-AIRCRAFT DIVISION, FOUR AIR DIVISIONS EQUIPPED WITH 700 MODERN AIRCRAFT, AND 130 NAVAL VESSELS, INCLUDING FIVE SUBMARINES AND FIVE MODERN DESTROYERS. THERE ARE ESTIMATED TO BE 400,000 RUSSIAN TROOPS STATIONED IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

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NUCLEAR TALKS
BY MICHAEL GOLDSMITH

GENEVA, DEC. 15 (AP)--THE UNITED STATES TODAY HANDED RUSSIA THE FIRST DETAILED WESTERN BLUEPRINT FOR A CONTROL SYSTEM TO POLICE A NUCLEAR TEST BAN. RUSSIAN SPOKESMEN IMMEDIATELY DESCRIBED THE PLAN AS UNACCEPTABLE.

THIS NEGATIVE RUSSIAN REACTION UNDERLINED THE FACT THAT--DESPITE SOME PROGRESS ON PROCEDURAL MATTERS--THE THREE-NATION TALKS HAVE THUS FAR ACHIEVED NO COMMON GROUND ON THE FUNDAMENTAL ISSUE OF CONTROL.

U.S. DELEGATE JAMES J. WADSWORTH SUBMITTED FOUR DRAFT ARTICLES FOR A PROPOSED TREATY ON PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTS. THE DRAFTS WERE NOT MADE PUBLIC BUT SPELLED OUT IN PRECISE DETAIL HOW THE CONTROL ORGANIZATION SHOULD FUNCTION.

THE ARTICLES PROVIDED FOR FIXED CONTROL POSTS, MANNED BY AN INTERNATIONAL STAFF. THE POSTS WOULD BE SPREAD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD TO WATCH FOR SECRET NUCLEAR TESTS IN THE ATMOSPHERE, UNDERGROUND OR UNDERWATER.

WHENEVER THE CONTROL POSTS REPORT SUSPICIOUS EARTH TREMORS WHICH MIGHT BE CAUSED BY UNDERGROUND TESTS, PERMANENT INSPECTION TEAMS WOULD BE ENTITLED TO MAKE AN ON-THE-SPOT INVESTIGATION.

ALTHOUGH THE RUSSIANS HAVE ACCEPTED THE PRINCIPLE OF A CONTROL SYSTEM, THEIR PRESENT IDEAS ON HOW SUCH A SYSTEM WOULD WORK ARE DESCRIBED BY WESTERN DELEGATES AS INADEQUATE. UNDER THE RUSSIAN PROPOSALS, FOR EXAMPLE, THE CONTROL POSTS WOULD BE MANNED ALMOST ENTIRELY BY NATIONALS OF THE COUNTRY IN WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED. FURTHERMORE, THE SEVEN-MEMBER COMMISSION WHICH IS TO BE THE ORGANIZATION'S SUPREME AUTHORITY WOULD HAVE COMPLETE SUPERVISION OF THE INSPECTION TEAMS--COUPLED WITH A BIG-POWER VETO.

EASTERN AND WESTERN SOURCES AGREE THAT THE TWO SIDES' PRESENT POSITIONS ARE SO FAR APART THAT NONE OF THE PURELY PROCEDURAL AGREEMENT REACHED THUS FAR COULD BE CONSIDERED AS A POINTER TO EARLY CONCLUSION OF A TREATY. THE CONFERENCE IS TO GO INTO A TWO WEEK RECESS AT THE END OF THE WEEK.

ANOTHER EAST-WEST ARMS CONTROL CONFERENCE--THIS ONE ON PREVENTION OF SURPRISE ATTACK--IS FLOUNDERING IN TOTAL DEADLOCK. THE 10 DELEGATIONS MET FOR HALF AN HOUR TODAY, EACH SIDE REPEATING PREVIOUSLY STATED POSITIONS. THE CONFERENCE IS TO ADJOURN INDEFINITELY THIS WEEK.

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WARSAW, DEC. 15 (AP)--WESTERN DIPLOMATS WERE NOTIFIED TODAY THAT SOVIET DEPUTY PREMIER ANASTAS MIKOYAN IS EXPECTED HERE TOMORROW TO TAKE PART IN THE CELEBRATIONS OF THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY.

WELL INFORMED POLISH CIRCLES HAD SAID IT WAS POSSIBLE PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV MIGHT COME HIMSELF TO TAKE PART IN THIS EVENT WEDNESDAY. FV1016PES

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PRECEDE LONDON DAY (190)

MOSCOW, DEC. 15 (AP)--RUSSIA TODAY ACCUSED U.S. PLANES OF MAKING HOSTILE FLIGHTS NEAR SOVIET BORDERS ALONG THE BALTIC SEA AND IN THE FAR EAST.

THE KREMLIN CHARGES CAME IN A DIPLOMATIC NOTE REPLYING TO A U.S. REQUEST ON NOV. 13 FOR INFORMATION ABOUT 11 AMERICAN FLIERS WHO CRASHED IN SOVIET ARMENIA LAST SEPTEMBER.

THE RUSSIANS CHARGED THAT FIVE WEEKS AGO ONE AMERICAN PLANE FIRED ON A SOVIET FIGHTER OFF VENTSPILS, A LATVIAN SEAPORT ON THE BALTIC. (IN WIESBADEN, GERMANY, A SPOKESMAN AT THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE IN EUROPE SAID NO REPORT HAD BEEN RECEIVED INDICATING ANY OF ITS AIRCRAFT HAD FIRED ON A SOVIET PLANE.)

THE RUSSIANS SAID THE HOSTILE AMERICAN FLIGHTS WERE ON NOV. 7-8 AND CALLED ON WASHINGTON TO "ELIMINATE ONE OF THE SOURCES OF THE DETERIORATION OF SOVIET-U.S. RELATIONS" BY FORBIDDING THE U.S. AIR FORCE FROM SENDING PLANES TOWARDS SOVIET FRONTIERS.

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IN WASHINGTON, THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT'S PRESS CHIEF, LINCOLN WHITE, SCOFFED AT THE SOVIET CHARGES. HE SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD PROTESTED TO THE KREMLIN ON NOV. 13 ABOUT AIR INCIDENTS LAST NOV. 7 WHEN HE CHARGED SOVIET FIGHTERS FIRED ON AN AMERICAN PLANE OVER THE BALTIC AND FLEW WITHIN 100 FEET OF AN AMERICAN PLANE OVER THE SEA OF JAPAN. WHITE SAID IN BOTH CASES AMERICAN PLANES WERE MORE THAN 60 MILES FROM SOVIET TERRITORY AND DID NOT FIRE BACK AT THE RUSSIANS.

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LONDON, DEC. 15 (AP)-PRVADA TODAY CHARGED THAT AMERICAN MILITARY BASES EQUIPPED WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS IN JAPAN ARE A DIRECT THREAT TO THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

THE EDITORIAL IN THE SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY PAPER, BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO, WAS ANOTHER BLAST IN THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE SECURITY TREATY BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN.

THE TWO GOVERNMENTS HAVE BEEN HOLDING TALKS INTERMITTENTLY ON A REVISION OF THE 1951 TREATY. U.S. TROOPS IN JAPAN ARE NOT EQUIPPED WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS, AND JAPANESE OFFICIALS HAVE SAID REPEATEDLY THEY WOULD NOT AGREE TO SUCH ARMS BEING BASED IN JAPAN.

THE UNITED STATES, SAID PRAVDA, "INTENDS TO USE THE TREATY TO PERPETUATE JAPAN'S ROLE AS AN AMERICAN ATOMIC BASE, A LINK IN THE CHAIN OF MILITARY BASES ESTABLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES FROM NORWAY TO HOKKAIDO, AT THE APPROACHES TO THE U.S.S.R., CHINA AND OTHER SOCIALIST STATES."

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LONDON, DEC. 15 (AP)-SIX FAIREY GANNET PLANES, USUALLY USED FOR ANTISUBMARINE WORK, WILL BE EXPORTED TO THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID TONIGHT.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID THE 6 WOULD BE PART OF AN ORDER FOR 18 GANNETS PLACED BY INDONESIA WHICH WAS TORN EARLIER THIS YEAR BY A REVOLT OF THE OUTER ISLANDS.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, DEC. 15 (AP)-THE U. S. 7TH FLEET, THOUGH BEING THINNED OUT WITH EASING OF THE QUEMOY CRISIS, "IS ALWAYS READY FOR ANY SITUATION WHICH MAY DEVELOP," ITS COMMANDER SAID TODAY.

THE COMMANDER, VICE ADM. FREDERIC N. KIVETTE, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE A GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN DEFENSE CAPABILITIES OF CHINESE NATIONALIST FORCES MADE IT UNNECESSARY FOR HIS FORCES TO BE SO CLOSELY CONCENTRATED IN THIS IMMEDIATE AREA.

"WE MUST KEEP OUR MOBILITY," HE SAID. "WE MUST BE READY ANYWHERE--READY IN ALL AREAS RATHER THAN IN READINESS AT JUST ONE POINT."

REDUCTION OF RED CHINA'S ATTACKS ON THE QUEMOYS TO AN EVERY-OTHER-DAY BASIS AND BEEFING UP OF NATIONALIST DEFENSES WITH NEW U. S. WEAPONS AND FRESH SUPPLIES BACKGROUNDED A U. S. COMMAND ANNOUNCEMENT LAST WEEK THAT AMERICAN SEA AND AIR FORCES WERE BEING REDUCED.

RED CHINA'S MAINLAND BATTERIES CONTINUED TODAY THE ECCENTRIC WAR THEY HAVE BEEN WAGING AGAINST THE QUEMOYS ON ODD-NUMBERED DAYS SINCE THEY BROKE OFF A 15-DAY CEASE-FIRE OCT. 20. THE NATIONALIST DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED THAT 965 SHELLS WERE FIRED AT THE ISLANDS UP TO NIGHTFALL.

DURING AN EVEN-NUMBERED DAY'S HALT IN HOSTILITIES SUNDAY THE NATIONALISTS SENT ANOTHER SUPPLY CONVOY TO QUEMOY AND UNLOADED CARGO FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIAN NEEDS WITHOUT MOLESTATION.

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TOKYO, DEC. 15 (AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY GRANTED FREEDOM TO 264 LESSER JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS ALREADY OUT OF PRISON ON PAROLE. THE U.S. GOVERNMENT NOTIFIED JAPAN THAT REDUCTION OF SENTENCES OF THE PAROLEES TO TIME SERVED WAS AUTHORIZED.

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HONG KONG, DEC. 15 (AP)-AMERICAN TURNCOAT RICHARD G. CORDEN OF EAST PROVIDENCE, R.I., IS REPORTED READY TO GO HOME AFTER NEARLY FIVE YEARS VOLUNTARY EXILE IN RED CHINA.

RED CROSS SOURCES SAID CORDEN, WHO WAS THE RINGLEADER OF THE RINGLEADER OF THE 21 KOREAN WAR TURNCOATS, WAS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE AT THE HONG KONG BORDER FRIDAY.

THE U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL AND THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT SAID THEY HAD NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORT.

CORDEN, NOW 31, WAS CAPTURED IN KOREA NOV. 20, 1950, AND WAS DESCRIBED BY AMERICAN PRISONERS AS THE "BIG WHEEL" IN THE POW CAMPS.

IN SEPTEMBER 1957 HE TOLD A GROUP OF VISITING AMERICAN YOUTHS HE LIKED RED CHINA AND PLANNED TO STAY INDEFINITELY EXCEPT PERHAPS FOR "A BRIEF TRIP HOME SOMETIME."

OF THE ORIGINAL 21 TURNCOATS, NINE HAVE COME OUT AND ONE DIED.

IN EAST PROVIDENCE, MRS. DONALD M. BAIN, CORDEN'S SISTER SAID WHEN ADVISED OF HIS REPORTED PLANS: "I HAVE NO COMMENT WHATSOEVER."

THE ARMY SAID IT WILL IGNORE CORDEN IF HE RETURNS TO THIS COUNTRY, BECAUSE THE SUPREME COURT HAS RULED THAT THE MILITARY LACK AUTHORITY TO HOLD OR TRY MEN WHO HAVE BEEN DISCHARGED.

THE FIRST THREE TURNCOATS RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1955 WERE TAKEN IN CUSTODY BY THE ARMY AND CHARGED WITH VARIOUS ACTS OF COLLABORATION WITH THE ENEMY WHILE THEY WERE PRISONERS OF WAR. THE THREE MEN WERE FREED BY FEDERAL COURT WRIT AND THE HIGHEST TRIBUNAL BACKED UP THE LOWER COURT.

CORDEN, LIKE THE OTHER 20 SOLDIERS WHO CHOSE TO GO TO COMMUNIST CHINA RATHER THAN RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES AFTER THE KOREAN CONFLICT, WERE GIVEN DISHONORABLE DISCHARGES EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 1954. THAT DECISION WAS MADE BY FORMER DEFENSE SECRETARY CHARLES E. WILSON AFTER THE ARMY HAD SOUGHT TO GET THE MEN BACK HOME BEFORE DECIDING WHAT TO DO WITH THEM.

IN THE MEANTIME, THE THREE TURNCOATS WHO CAME BACK IN 1955 HAVE A SUIT PENDING IN THE U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS FOR BACK PAY AND ALLOWANCES DURING THE PERIOD THEY WERE IN ENEMY HANDS. IF THIS CASE COMES TO TRIAL, THE ARMY HAS SAID THAT IT WILL FILE A COUNTER CLAIM AGAINST

THE THREE TO COVER THE AMOUNT OF PAY GIVEN TO THEIR DEPENDENTS
FOR THE SAME PERIOD OF TIME.

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UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., DEC. 15 (AP)--SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD TODAY VOLUNTEERED TO TACKLE THE ISRAELI-SYRIAN BORDER DISPUTE ON HIS CHRISTMAS-TIME TRIP TO THE MIDDLE EAST.

HAMMARSKJOLD'S OFFER WAS WELCOMED BY COUNCIL MEMBERS DEBATING ISRAELI CHARGES OF SYRIAN AGGRESSION ARISING FROM AN ARTILLERY DUEL IN THE LAKE HULEH AREA DEC. 3.

U.S. AMBASSADOR HENRY CABOT LODGE SAID HIS DELEGATION GAVE GREAT WEIGHT TO HAMMARSKJOLD'S REMARKS.

BRITAIN'S SIR PIERSON DIXON DECLARED THAT IMPERFECT ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS IN THE LAKE HULEH AREA WERE IN PART RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATH LAST MONTH OF MRS. JOYCE MARY DORAN, WIFE OF THE BRITISH AIR ATTACHE IN ISRAEL. DIXON DECLARED MRS. DORAN WAS APPARENTLY SHOT BY A PERSON OR PERSONS CROSSING FROM SYRIAN TERRITORY.

RUSSIA'S ARKADY SOBOLEV JOINED THE ARABS IN ACCUSING ISRAEL OF TOUCHING OFF THE LAKE HULEH INCIDENT.

THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED WITHOUT DATE AFTER HEARING A NEW ROUND OF CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES BY REPRESENTATIVES OF ISRAEL AND THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC WHO SAT IN ON THE DEBATE.

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AP FOREIGN SERVICE ADVANCE FOR MONDAY PMS

BY TOM HOGE

(ADVANCE)...UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., DEC. 15 (AP)--THE 1958 GENERAL ASSEMBLY WAS DISTINGUISHED MAINLY BY EAST-WEST FAILURE TO AGREE ON ANY MAJOR ISSUE.

THE 13TH SESSION DRAGGED TO A CLOSE ON A GENERAL NOTE OF FRUSTRATION. DELEGATES NOTED DEADLOCKS ON OUTER SPACE, NUCLEAR TESTS AND OTHER POLITICAL QUESTIONS OVERSHADOWED BY THE COLD WAR.

THE END CAME AT 11:57 P.M. SATURDAY NIGHT AFTER THESE 11TH HOUR DEVELOPMENTS:

1. A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE ALGERIAN PEOPLE HAD A RIGHT TO INDEPENDENCE FAILED TO OBTAIN THE REQUIRED TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY. THE VOTE WAS 35-18, WITH 28 ABSTENTIONS. THIS KILLED ANY CHANCE FOR U.N. ACTION THIS YEAR TOWARD ENDING THE FOUR-YEAR-OLD REBELLION OF ALGERIAN NATIONALISTS AGAINST FRANCE.

2. THE ASSEMBLY APPROVED 3-9, WITH 19 ABSTENTIONS, A RESOLUTION TO SET UP AN 18-NATION OUTER SPACE STUDY COMMITTEE. BUT THE RUSSIANS ANNOUNCED THEY WON'T TAKE PART IN ITS WORK.

THE ASSEMBLY WILL RECONVENE FEB. 20 TO DISCUSS INDEPENDENCE FOR THE CAMEROONS, EQUATORIAL AFRICAN TERRITORIES UNDER BRITISH AND FRENCH TRUSTEESHIPS SINCE 1946.

THE SESSION OPENED AMID TWO INTERNATIONAL CRISES. IT WOUND UP WITHOUT TAKING ACTION ON EITHER.

THE FORMOSA CRISIS WAS TAKEN OUT OF THE U.N. ORBIT WHEN WARSAW TALKS BEGAN BETWEEN THE U.S. AND RED CHINESE AMBASSADORS.

U.N. ACTION ON THE MIDDLE EAST WAS LIMITED TO A PROGRESS REPORT BY SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD. INTEREST CENTERED ON U.S.-BRITISH TROOP WITHDRAWALS AND POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN THE TROUBLED AREA.

DISARMAMENT FAILED TO CAUSE MUCH OF A STIR; ATTENTION FOCUSED ON THE

BIG THREE NUCLEAR TALKS IN GENEVA.

THE PROPOSAL FOR A U.N. STANDBY FORCE, PUT BEFORE THE EMERGENCY ASSEMBLY SESSION LAST AUGUST BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER, WOUND UP ON THE SHELF. HAMMARSKJOLD FINALLY DROPPED HIS PROPOSAL THAT THE ASSEMBLY LET HIM SUMMON TROOPS FROM MEMBER GOVERNMENTS FOR USE IN CASE OF TROUBLE.

THE UNITED STATES SUCCEEDED AGAIN IN GETTING THE ASSEMBLY TO SHELVE THE QUESTION OF RED CHINA'S MEMBERSHIP. THE VICTORY WAS THE SMALLEST ON RECORD--48-27 WITH 6 ABSTENTIONS. THIS MAY BE THE LAST TIME THE UNITED STATES CAN SIDETRACK DEBATE ON THE QUESTION.

THE UNITED NATIONS APPROVED OVER BITTER SOVIET OPPOSITION A U.S.-BACKED PROPOSAL TO SUSPEND NUCLEAR TESTS DURING THE GENEVA BIG THREE TALKS. THE BALLOT OF 49-9 WITH 23 ABSTENTIONS WAS HAILED AS A WESTERN VICTORY BUT FEW DIPLOMATS HOPED IT WOULD DO MUCH TO WIN AGREEMENT AT GENEVA.

THE UNITED STATES WAS PERSUADED TO GO ALONG WITH SOVIET INSISTENCE FOR A NEW DISARMAMENT COMMISSION MADE UP OF ALL MEMBER NATIONS. MOST DELEGATES ADMITTED THE IDEA WAS IMPRACTICAL BUT PREFERRED TO BACK IT RATHER THAN FACE ANOTHER YEAR WITH THE RUSSIANS BOYCOTTING U.N. ARMS NEGOTIATIONS.

FOR THE 11TH YEAR THE U.N. CALLED FOR A UNIFIED KOREA THROUGH FREE ELECTIONS. AGAIN THE COMMUNISTS MADE CLEAR THE APPEAL WOULD BE DISREGARDED.

THE U.N.'S MAIN POLITICAL COMMITTEE VOTED A STUDY GROUP ON OUTER SPACE DESPITE RUSSIA'S ANNOUNCED INTENT TO BOYCOTT IT, MAINLY BECAUSE IT DID NOT INCLUDE FOUR SOVIET BLOC MEMBERS.

THE ASSEMBLY UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED A COMPROMISE RESOLUTION ON CYPRUS, BUT THE WATERED DOWN VERSION SIDESTEPED ALL CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES UNDERLYING THE DISPUTE AMONG BRITAIN, GREECE AND TURKEY.

OVERRIDING HEATED SOVIET BLOC OPPOSITION, THE ASSEMBLY CONDEMNED RED HUNGARY'S EXECUTION OF FORMER PREMIER IMRE NAGY AND OTHER LEADERS IN THE 1956 REVOLT.

THE ASSEMBLY VOICED REGRET THAT THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA HAD IGNORED APPEALS FOR AN END TO RACIAL DISCRIMINATION. THE UNION GOVERNMENT BOYCOTTED THE DEBATE ON GROUNDS THE ISSUE WAS NOT U.N. BUSINESS.

THE SAME SITUATION CAST A SHADOW OVER THE DEBATE ON ALGERIA'S INDEPENDENCE. THE FRENCH DELEGATION WALKED OUT, CALLING THE QUESTION AN INTERNAL ONE.

IN AN ATTEMPT TO RESOLVE THE BRITISH-ICELANDIC SQUABBLE AND OTHER DISPUTES OVER FISHING RIGHTS, THE U.N. VOTED TO HOLD ANOTHER LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE IN GENEVA IN 1960.

ABOUT THE ONLY REAL PROGRESS THE ASSEMBLY MADE WAS ON NONPOLITICAL ISSUES.

IT OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED THAT THE AFRICAN COLONIES OF NIGERIA, THE BRITISH AND FRENCH CAMEROONS, ITALIAN SOMALILAND AND FRENCH TOGOLAND WOULD BECOME INDEPENDENT IN 1960.

THE ASSEMBLY DECIDED TO SET UP A PROGRAM TO CREATE A POOL OF TRAINED ADMINISTRATORS FOR UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES TO DRAW ON. IT ALSO VOTED TO SET UP A SPECIAL FUND TO ASSIST UNDERDEVELOPED NATIONS.

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(300) WITH ~~TAIPEI~~ (A77)
WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY IT HAS RECEIVED REPORTS THAT MAO TSE-TUNG MAY STEP ASIDE IN JANUARY AS TITULAR HEAD OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.
THE MOVE WAS SEEN HERE AS ENTIRELY VOLUNTARY BY MAO AND NOT THE RESULT OF INTERNAL PRESSURES. CHINESE NATIONALIST SOURCES ON FORMOSA HAVE INDICATED THE CHANGE WOULD BE MADE TO QUIET UNREST ON THE MAINLAND.

MAO WAS EXPECTED TO RETAIN ALL OF HIS REAL POWER-WIELDING POSTS. PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE SAID IN A STATEMENT:
"THE DEPARTMENT HAS REPORTS OF RESENTMENT IN CHINA AGAINST EXTREME REPRESSION AND MORE SPECIFICALLY THAT MAO MAY RESIGN AS CHAIRMAN OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME."

"WE NOTE THAT THE PRESS REPORTS SAY THAT MAO WHOSE FOUR-YEAR TERM AS CHAIRMAN OF THE PEIPING REGIME IS EXPIRING, IS RETAINING HIS POSITION OF LEADERSHIP WITHIN THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

"OF COURSE THESE ARE POSTS THAT WIELD REAL POWER UNDER A TOTALITARIAN COMMUNIST SYSTEM."

WHITE WENT ON TO SAY THAT "IT IS INTERESTING TO SPECULATE THAT MAO MAY HAVE FOUND IT NECESSARY TO RELINQUISH HIS POSITION AS HEAD OF THE REGIME IN ORDER TO DEVOTE MORE TIME TO HIS PARTY DUTIES."

"THESE ARE UNDOUBTEDLY MORE ONEROUS BECAUSE OF THE PARTY EFFORTS TO INCREASE ITS CONTROL OVER THE PEOPLE OF MAINLAND CHINA THROUGH THE COMMUNE SYSTEM," WHITE ADDED.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT DID NOT SPECIFY THE ORIGIN OF ITS REPORTS. IT WAS BELIEVED THAT MOST OF THEM ORIGINATED IN NATIONALIST CHINA. BUT SOURCES SAID THAT THERE WERE ALSO SIMILAR REPORTS BEING RECEIVED FROM CHANNELS IN MAINLAND CHINA.

MAO HAS SERVED AS CHAIRMAN OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA SINCE HE ASSUMED POWER AFTER WORLD WAR II.

THE FOUR-YEAR TERM AS TITULAR LEADER EXPIRES IN JANUARY AND MAO'S ANNOUNCEMENT WAS EXPECTED TO BE MADE AT THAT TIME.

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B18WX (SEG)

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FOREIGN AID
BY LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)-CONGRESS WAS URGED TODAY TO TAKE A HARD LOOK AT THE FOREIGN AID PROGRAM BEFORE GRANTING ALL, OR ANY, OF THE BILLION DOLLAR INCREASE THE ADMINISTRATION MAY SEEK NEXT YEAR.

IN TAKING THIS STAND, REPS. CLEMENT J. ZABLOCKI (D-WIS) AND WALTER JUDD (R-MINN) ALSO AGREED THAT THE UNITED STATES IS GIVING AWAY TOO MANY ARMS TO SOME OF ITS ALLIES.

BOTH MEN ARE SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. THEIR VIEWS, EXPRESSED IN SEPARATE INTERVIEWS, GAVE SOME BIPARTISAN BACKING TO SIMILAR OPINIONS EXPRESSED DURING THE WEEKEND BY COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN THOMAS E. MORGAN (D-PA).

ALL THREE LEGISLATORS ARE MEMBERS OF A NEW WATCHDOG SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HAS JUST FINISHED A TWO-WEEK CLOSED-DOOR INQUIRY INTO TROUBLE SPOTS IN THE GIANT AID PROGRAM.

MORGAN SAID THE TASK FORCE UNDER WILLIAM H. DRAPER JR., NAMED RECENTLY BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TO STUDY ARMS AID, "IS GOING TO BE HELPFUL TO US IF IT TENDS TO REDUCE ANY PART OF THE MILITARY PROGRAM." MORGAN FAVORED GREATER STRESS ON LONG-TERM ECONOMIC PROJECTS.

EISENHOWER SOUGHT \$3,900,000,000 FOR ECONOMIC-MILITARY AID LAST YEAR BUT CONGRESS CHOPPED THIS BACK 600 MILLIONS. NEARLY HALF THE \$3,300,000,000 IT VOTED WAS EARMARKED FOR ARMS.

FOR NEXT YEAR, THE ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN REPORTED PLANNING A FOREIGN AID BUDGET OF \$4,200,000,000 TO \$4,300,000,000 WITH MORE EMPHASIS ON ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE AND LESS ON MILITARY AID.

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ZABLOCKI SAID HE IS GOING TO ADOPT A "YOU MUST SHOW ME, BUT GOOD" ATTITUDE IF THE ADMINISTRATION ASKS FOR A BILLION DOLLARS MORE THAN CONGRESS VOTED LAST YEAR.

"I'M NOT DRAWING AWAY MY SUPPORT OF THE PROGRAM," ZABLOCKI SAID, "BUT I CERTAINLY WOULD LIKE TO SEE SOME TIGHTENING UP IN A NUMBER OF AREAS BEFORE GIVING THEM MORE MONEY."

"IN LAOS WE SPEND 40 MILLION DOLLARS FOR TROOPS. I THINK WE'RE BEING TAKEN IN THAT INSTANCE AND IN SOME OTHER AREAS."

THE WISCONSIN DEMOCRAT SAID THE U. S.-BACKED ARMS PROGRAM IN SOME COUNTRIES IS LARGER THAN THE ECONOMIC CONDITION OF THOSE COUNTRIES CAN SUPPORT. HE SUGGESTED A LONGER-RANGE APPROACH, WITH THE IDEA THAT THESE NATIONS COULD HELP MORE IN THE FREE WORLD EFFORT BY BOLSTERING THEIR ECONOMIES THAN BY HEAVY ARMS UNDERTAKINGS.

JUDD SAID THAT IN SOME UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES RECEIVING U. S. ARMS "WHAT THEY NEED IS ENOUGH TO BUILD UP INTERNAL ORDER. BUT TO BUILD THEM UP WITH TANKS, PLANES AND MAJOR MILITARY INSTALLATIONS IS NOT THE THING, I'M CONVINCED."

JUDD SAID THE MILITARY POTENTIAL OF SOME SMALL NATIONS CANNOT POSSIBLY MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE IN TERMS OF OVER-ALL POWER IN THE EAST-WEST STRUGGLE.

HE DID NOT SPECIFY WHERE HE THOUGHT U. S. MILITARY HELP SHOULD BE REDUCED. BUT HE DID PROPOSE SUBSTANTIAL ARMS AID TO VIET NAM, KOREA AND TURKEY, WHICH HE SAID WERE DEFENDERS OF WHOLE AREAS IN THE FREE WORLD.

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(230) SCOTUS-FLAXER

WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)-THE SUPREME COURT TODAY THREW OUT THE CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CONVICTION OF ABRAM FLAXER, WHO AS PRESIDENT OF THE NOW DEFUNCT UNITED PUBLIC WORKERS OF AMERICA REFUSED TO GIVE SENATE INVESTIGATORS A LIST OF UNION MEMBERS.

JUSTICE DOUGLAS DELIVERED THE UNANIMOUS DECISION. FLAXER WAS SENTENCED IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT HERE TO TWO MONTHS IN PRISON AND \$1,000 FINE FOR FAILURE TO PRODUCE THE LIST ON DEMAND OF A ONE-MAN SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE SENATE INTERNAL SECURITY COMMITTEE.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING, CONDUCTED BY SENATOR ARTHUR V. WATKINS (R-UTAH), WAS CONCERNED WITH ALLEGED COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

IN THROWING OUT THE CONTEMPT CONVICTION, THE SUPREME COURT DEALT ONLY WITH THE TIMING AND PROCEDURE OF THE DEMAND ON FLAXER FOR THE LIST. WATKINS HELD THE HEARING ON OCT. 5, 1951, AND AT THE CONCLUSION GAVE FLAXER AN ADDITIONAL 10 DAYS TO PRODUCE THE LIST.

JUSTICE DOUGLAS SAID THE COURT READ THE RECORD AS SHOWING THERE WAS NO DEFAULT BY FLAXER ON OCT. 5, 1951.

FURTHER, SAID DOUGLAS, "IT DOES NOT APPEAR WHETHER AT THE END OF THE 10-DAY PERIOD ANY ADDITIONAL STEPS WERE TAKEN AGAINST HIM. YET FOR ALL WE KNOW A WITNESS WHO WAS ADAMANT AND DEFIANT ON OCT. 5 MIGHT BE MEEK AND SUBMISSIVE ON OCT. 15."

GOVERNMENT COUNSEL HAD ARGUED THAT BEFORE COMING TO WASHINGTON FLAXER MADE UP HIS MIND IN HIS NEW YORK OFFICE NOT TO PRODUCE THE LIST AND THAT THE CONTEMPT WAS COMPLETED WHEN FLAXER FIRST TOLD WATKINS IT WAS IMPROPER FOR HIM TO SUPPLY THE DOCUMENT.

THE GOVERNMENT INSISTED THE 10 DAYS ALLOWED BY WATKINS WAS MERELY INTENDED TO HELP ACHIEVE THE CONGRESSIONAL PURPOSE OF OBTAINING INFORMATION.

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A47WX (PASSPORTS)

NIGHT LEAD PASSPORTS (230)

BY JOE KANE

WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)—THE SECURITY CHIEF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT ASKED CONGRESS TODAY TO GIVE HIS AGENCY AUTHORITY TO DENY PASSPORTS TO PERSONS HAVING RECORDS OF COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS. SUCH ACTION IS BANNED BY A RECENT SUPREME COURT RULING.

IN MAKING HIS REQUEST, RODERIC (CQ) L. O'CONNOR ALSO ASKED THAT PASSPORTS IN SUCH CASES BE WITHHELD WITHOUT DISCLOSING NAMES OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS.

O'CONNOR, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S BUREAU OF SECURITY AND CONSULAR AFFAIRS, APPEARED BEFORE THE SENATE INTERNAL SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE.

THE GROUP IS HOLDING PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE INTERNAL SECURITY ASPECTS OF THE SUPREME COURT DECISION OF LAST JUNE 16 WHICH HELD THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT COULD NOT DENY PASSPORTS TO COMMUNISTS OR OTHERS BECAUSE OF THEIR ASSOCIATIONS OR BELIEFS.

O'CONNOR BACKED DOWN IN HIS TESTIMONY FROM AN EARLIER STATEMENT THAT THE HIGH COURT DECISION RESULTED IN ABOUT 600 "KNOWN COMMUNISTS" APPLYING FOR PASSPORTS.

HIS ORIGINAL STATEMENT, MADE IN A SPEECH HERE, WAS SUBSTANTIALLY CORRECT, O'CONNOR TESTIFIED. BUT HE ADDED THAT "PERHAPS 'KNOWN COMMUNISTS' WAS A SOMEWHAT PRECISE (CQ) STATEMENT."

O'CONNOR SAID LATEST FIGURES SHOW 702 PERSONS ALLEGED TO HAVE HAD SOME COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES OR AFFILIATIONS HAVE APPLIED FOR PASSPORTS AND 642 HAVE RECEIVED THEM SINCE THE RULING SIX MONTHS AGO.

O'CONNOR SAID THE 642 GETTING PASSPORTS AFTER THE RULING INCLUDED EARL BROWDER, UNSEATED HEAD OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID PERSONS ALLEGEDLY IDENTIFIED WITH COMMUNIST SPY RIGHTS ALSO HAVE APPLIED.

THE SECURITY CHIEF TESTIFIED THE DEPARTMENT, AS A RESULT OF THE RULING, NOW CANNOT DENY PASSPORTS EVEN TO KNOWN COMMUNISTS. APPLICATIONS ARE COMING IN FROM SUSPECT INDIVIDUALS AT THE RATE OF 20 OR 25 A WEEK, HE ADDED.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE LATER CALLED FOUR OF THE 702 AS WITNESSES, PLACING IN EVIDENCE STATEMENTS BY A STAFF INVESTIGATOR NAMING THEM AS TOP FLIGHT REDS.

THREE OF THE FOUR INVOKED THEIR FIFTH AMENDMENT RIGHT AGAINST BEING REQUIRED TO TESTIFY AGAINST THEMSELVES AND DECLINED TO ANSWER SOME QUESTIONS. THEY WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF AS: ALEXANDER TRACHTENBERG, 72, RUSSIAN-BORN NEW YORK PUBLISHER OF MARXIST LITERATURE.

JAMES E. JACKSON, BROOKLYN, N.Y., WHO DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS "SECRETARY FOR NEGRO AND SOUTHERN AFFAIRS, COMMUNIST PARTY USA." WILLIAM O. PATTERSON, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE PUBLICATION "THE WORKER" IN NEW YORK.

THE FOURTH MAN CALLED WAS JOHN J. ABT, CHICAGO LAWYER. HE ANSWERED EVERY QUESTION AND DENIED HE IS LEGAL ADVISER TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES.

COMMITTEE INVESTIGATOR BEN MANDEL TOLD THE COMMITTEE ABT HAD INVOKED THE FIFTH AMENDMENT IN PRIOR CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS. MANDEL SAID ABT HAD BEEN NAMED IN THE EARLIER INVESTIGATIONS AS A MEMBER OF "THE HAROLD WARE CELL OF THE UNDERGROUND COMMUNIST APPARATUS IN THE GOVERNMENT IN WASHINGTON."

ABT SAID HE HAS APPLIED FOR A PASSPORT. HE ADDED HE COULD SEE NO NEED TO COMMENT ON ANYTHING MANDEL SAID.

MANDEL NAMED TRACHTENBERG AS PART OF "THE POWERFUL INNER RING OF COMMUNISTS" IN THIS COUNTRY. THE NEW YORKER INVOKED THE FIFTH AMENDMENT WHEN ASKED TO COMMENT. HE ALSO TOOK THE FIFTH AMENDMENT

WHEN ASKED WHETHER HE HAS KNOWINGLY ASSOCIATED WITH SOVIET INTELLIGENCE AGENTS. BUT HE SWORE HE HAS NEVER BEEN A SPY.

SUBCOMMITTEE COUNSEL J. G. SOURWINE SAID TRACHTENBERG HAS APPLIED FOR A PASSPORT TO GO ABROAD.

JACKSON TOOK THE FIFTH AMENDMENT IN REFUSING TO SAY WHETHER MANDEL WAS RIGHT IN NAMING HIM AS AN ADVOCATE OF SOME PLAN TO ESTABLISH "AN INDEPENDENT NEGRO REPUBLIC IN THE SOUTH."

MANDEL NAMED JACKSON AS A FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF LOUISIANA, A FORMER SOUTHERN REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND FORMER EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES IN DETROIT.

JACKSON SAID HE HAS APPLIED FOR A PASSPORT, BUT REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HE INTENDED TO VISIT RUSSIA.

PATTERSON INVOKED THE FIFTH AMENDMENT IN REFUSING TO SAY WHETHER HE HAS VIOLATED PASSPORT RESTRICTIONS IN THE PAST OR WHETHER FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS PAID HIS EXPENSES ON TRIPS ABROAD.

ASKED BY SOURWINE WHETHER HE HAD RENDERED ANY SERVICE TO COMMUNIST MILITARY PEOPLE, PATTERSON RETORTED "I NOT ONLY DIDN'T, I REGARD THAT QUESTION AS AN INSULT. MY LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES IS UNIMPEACHABLE."

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A44WX (PASSPORTS, WARREN, FLAXER)

(400) FIRST LEAD PASSPORTS

WASHINGTON, DEC. 15 (AP)—THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S SECURITY CHIEF CONCEDED TODAY HE WENT TOO FAR IN SAYING ABOUT 600 "KNOWN COMMUNISTS" HAD APPLIED FOR PASSPORTS AS RESULT OF A SUPREME COURT DECISION.

RODERIC (CQ) L. O'CONNOR, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE DEPARTMENT'S BUREAU OF SECURITY AND COUNSELLOR AFFAIRS, TESTIFIED THAT HIS ORIGINAL STATEMENT IN A SPEECH WAS SUBSTANTIALLY CORRECT BUT THAT "PERHAPS 'KNOWN COMMUNISTS' WAS A SOMEWHAT PRECISE STATEMENT."

O'CONNOR APPEARED BEFORE THE SENATE INTERNAL SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE AT A PUBLIC HEARING. THE GROUP IS LOOKING INTO THE INTERNAL SECURITY ASPECTS OF A SUPREME COURT DECISION WHICH HELD THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT COULD NOT DENY PASSPORTS TO COMMUNISTS OR OTHERS BECAUSE OF THEIR ASSOCIATIONS OR BELIEFS.

O'CONNOR SAID LATEST FIGURES SHOW 702 PERSONS ALLEGED TO HAVE HAD "SOME COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES, SOME COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS," HAVE APPLIED FOR PASSPORTS, AND 642 HAVE RECEIVED THEM SINCE THE COURT RULING ON JUNE 16.

HE APPEALED TO CONGRESS TO GIVE HIS AGENCY AUTHORITY TO WITHHOLD PASSPORTS IN CERTAIN CASES AND IMPOWER IT TO DO SO WITHOUT REQUIRING THE DISCLOSURE OF NAMES OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS.

O'CONNOR SAID SEVERAL ALLEGED BIG-SHOT PAST OR PRESENT COMMUNISTS ARE AMONG THE PASSPORT APPLICANTS. HE SAID THE GROUP INCLUDED EARL BROWDER, DEPOSED HEAD OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES, WHO GOT A PASSPORT, AND PERSONS ALLEGEDLY IDENTIFIED WITH COMMUNIST SPY RINGS.

AT THE OUTSET OF THE HEARING J. G. SOURWINE, SUBCOMMITTEE COUNSEL, CALLED ATTENTION TO A SPEECH O'CONNOR HAD MADE ABOUT FIVE WEEKS AGO. HE QUOTED O'CONNOR AS SAYING THAT "NEARLY 600 KNOWN COMMUNISTS" HAD APPLIED FOR PASSPORTS SINCE THE SUPREME COURT DECISION.

O'CONNOR SAID HE HAD MEANT TO SAY THAT THE APPLICANTS WERE PERSONS WHO "WOULD HAVE BEEN SCREENED" HAD THE REGULATIONS KNOCKED OUT BY THE SUPREME COURT REMAINED IN EFFECT. HE SAID THESE WERE CASES IN WHICH THE DEPARTMENT HAS EVIDENCE "INDICATING SOME COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES, SOME COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS."

THE DEPARTMENT IS POWERLESS TO DENY PASSPORTS EVEN TO KNOWN COMMUNISTS UNDER THE RULING, O'CONNOR SAID. HE ADDED THAT APPLICATIONS

ARE COMING IN FROM SUSPECT INDIVIDUALS AT A RATE OF 20 OR 25 A WEEK. HE SAID PASSPORTS HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO 642, WHILE OTHERS ARE IN THE PROCESS OF BEING "PROCESSED."

O'CONNOR GAVE THE COMMITTEE A LIST OF 30 NAMES OF WHAT HE TERMED "MOST INTERESTING" CASES. HE AGREED TO FILE A COMPLETE LIST OF THE APPLICANTS WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT NAMES WOULD BE REVEALED BY THE COMMITTEE ONLY WHERE ~~KNOWN~~ ^{NON} CLASSIFIED INFORMATION WAS INVOLVED.

THE 30 NAMES PLACED IN EVIDENCE WERE:

ABRAHAM JOSHUA BICK, LISTED BY O'CONNOR AS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER "AT LEAST AS EARLY AS 1947." HE SAID BICK WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN A STAFF WRITER FOR THE MORNING FREIHEIT, "A COMMUNIST YIDDISH DAILY."

MRS. ELANORE (CQ) LEVI PINE BORIS, AN ALLEGED COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER IN 1952-53 WHO VIOLATED PASSPORT INSTRUCTIONS IN 1955 BY ATTENDING THE WARSAW YOUTH FESTIVAL AND TRAVELING IN RUSSIA. O'CONNOR SAID SHE HAS RECEIVED HER PASSPORT AFTER SHE PROMISED SHE WOULD NOT VIOLATE ITS LIMITATION THIS TIME.

DR. WALTER BRIEHL, ALLEGED COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER IN 1945. O'CONNOR'S SUMMARY SAID "COMMUNIST PARTY MEETINGS WERE STATED TO HAVE BEEN HELD IN BRIEHL'S BUSINESS OFFICE IN 1950." O'CONNOR NAMED BRIEHL AS A FORMER MEMBER OF THE HOLLYWOOD ARTS, SCIENCES AND PROFESSIONS COUNCIL.

EARL BROWDER, DEPOSED COMMUNIST HEAD IN THIS COUNTRY.

STEFAN CEROVSKY. "ALTHOUGH NOT SHOWN TO BE A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY" O'CONNOR'S SUMMARY SAID, "CEROVSKY HAS UNTIL RECENTLY BEEN REPORTED TO HAVE EVIDENCED STRONG COMMUNIST AND PRO-RUSSIAN FEELINGS."

O'CONNOR SAID CEROVSKY WAS A MEMBER OF ALLEGED COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS AND IS "REPORTED TO HAVE FURNISHED INFORMATION TO A CZECHOSLOVAKIAN OFFICIAL REGARDING PERSONS IN THE UNITED STATES WHO OPPOSED COMMUNISM, PARTICULARLY THOSE WITH RELATIVES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

WALTER IRVING CRONAN, DESCRIBED BY O'CONNOR AS A MEMBER BY PROFESSION IN THE FIELD OF ELECTRONICS, HE HAS HAD DEALINGS WITH FOREIGN NATIONALS WHO WERE SUSPECTED ESPIONAGE AGENTS," O'CONNOR SAID.

WELDON BRUCE DAYTON, DESCRIBED BY O'CONNOR WAS HAVING A CLOSE RELATIONSHIP WITH COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS, "ESPECIALLY WITH ALFRED SARANT." O'CONNOR SAID SARANT WAS INVOLVED IN THE ESPIONAGE APARATUS OF JULIUS ROSENBERG, THE EXECUTED SPY.

PHILIP S. FONER. O'CONNOR SAID "INFORMATION OF RECORD SHOWS SUBJECT MEMBER AND ACTIVE IN COMMUNIST PARTY OVER AN EXTENDED PERIOD" AND ALSO A COMMUNIST FUNCTIONARY.

DOROTHY RAY FRIEDMAN, DESCRIBED AS A COMMUNIST IN 1952-55 "AT LEAST" AND A FORMER FUNCTIONARY WHO REPORTEDLY VISITED GUATEMALA IN 1954 AND OBTAINED INFORMATION FOR THE U.S. COMMUNIST PARTY.

LOUIS GOLDBLATT, DESCRIBED AS A COMMUNIST IN 1933-49, AT LEAST, WHO SERVED WITH THE CALIFORNIA COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND WORKED AT THE SAN FRANCISCO WORKERS SCHOOL. GOLDBLATT IS SECRETARY-TREASURER OF THE INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION, WHICH WAS EXPELLED BY THE CIO IN 1950 AS COMMUNIST DOMINATED. O'CONNOR SAID GOLDBLATT WAS EXPELLED IN 1949 FROM ENGLAND ON CHARGES THAT HE WAS A COMMUNIST AGENT.

LEONORE KANTOR HAIMOWITZ, DESCRIBED AS HAVING STATED IN 1954 THAT SHE WAS A COMMUNIST AND A FORMER PROGRESSIVE PARTY ORGANIZER IN NEW JERSEY.

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MAURICE HALPERIN. THE SUMMARY SAID "INFORMATION OF RECORD" INDICATED HE WAS A COMMUNIST BEFORE 1942. IT SAID ELIZABETH BENTLEY, SELF-STYLED FORMER COMMUNIST HAS IDENTIFIED HIM AS A FORMER MEMBER OF SPY RING HERE.

HALPERIN DENIED THE ESPIONAGE CHARGE IN A 1953 HOUSE INVESTIGATION BUT REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

O'CONNOR SAID HALPERIN LIVED IN MEXICO FOR A PERIOD AND FACILITATED THE FLIGHT FROM MEXICO OF ALFRED K. STERN AND MARTHA DODD STERN--WHO WERE CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE--BY ARRANGING PASSPORTS FOR THEM ABROAD UNDER THE NAME OF "ESCAMILLA." O'CONNOR SAID HALPERIN RECEIVED A PASSPORT AND IS REPORTED TO HAVE JOINED THE STERNS IN PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

GEORGE HUGH K. M. HARDYMAN, DESCRIBED AS ACTIVE IN COMMUNIST FRONTS IN CALIFORNIA BUT NOT REPORTED TO BE A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER. O'CONNOR SAID HARDYMAN VIOLATED HIS PASSPORT IN 1952 ON A TRIP TO RED CHINA, RUSSIA AND OTHER IRON CURTAIN AREAS AND HAS ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES OF WAGING GERM WARFARE IN KOREA.

HE SAID HARDYMAN HAS BEEN TENTATIVELY DENIED A PASSPORT BECAUSE OF VIOLATING THE LAST ONE.

ARTHUR DAVID KAHN, AUTHOR OF THE BOOK "THE TRAIL," WHICH DEALS WITH THE UNITED STATES OCCUPATION OF GERMANY. O'CONNOR NAMED KAHN AS HAVING A LONG RECORD OF COMMUNIST MEMBERSHIP.

ELIZABETH B. MILLARD FORMER ASSISTANT EDITOR OF NEW MASSES AND DESCRIBED BY O'CONNOR AS A ONE TIME COMMUNIST FUNCTIONARY.

RICHARDSON ARDEN MORFORD, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF AMERICAN SOVIET FRIENDSHIP. O'CONNOR SAID HE WAS CONVICTED OF CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS IN 1950 FOR REFUSING TO SUBMIT FINANCIAL RECORDS SUBPOENAED IN A CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION.

FRED PAUL MILLER, NAMED AS A COMMUNIST SINCE 1955 AND SUSPECTED OF PERFORMING "INTERNATIONAL WORK" FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

PAUL NOVICK, FORMER EDITOR OF THE MORNING FREIHEIT. O'CONNOR SAID NOVICK WAS CALLED A COMMUNIST PROPAGANDIST BY FBI DIRECTOR J. EDGAR HOOVER. NOVICK IS AN OLD FIFTH AMENDMENT PLEADER IN CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS OF COMMUNISM.

STANLEY NOWAK, WHO INVOKED THE FIFTH AMENDMENT ABOUT ALLEGED COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES IN MICHIGAN. NOWAK WAS DESCRIBED AS EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF THE POLISH-ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER GLOS LUDOWY IN DETROIT.

WILLIAM LORENZO PATTERSON, DESCRIBED AS ACTIVE IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY FOR THE PAST 25 YEARS AND NOW GENERAL MANAGER OF THE WORKER, DESCRIBED AS A COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED WEEKLY IN NEW YORK. PATTERSON SERVED 90 DAYS IN THE DANBURY, CONN., FEDERAL CORRECTIVE INSTITUTE IN 1954 FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT IN REFUSING TO GIVE INTERNAL REVENUE AGENTS CASH RECORDS OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS FOR 1950-52.

VICTOR PERLO, DESCRIBED AS HAVING BEEN IDENTIFIED IN CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS AS A COMMUNIST. THE SUMMARY SAID PERLO, AS A GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE IN THE 1940S, "WAS OVERTLY ENGAGED IN ESPIONAGE ACTIVITY" AND THAT HE HAS REFUSED TO DENY OR AFFIRM THESE CHARGES. O'CONNOR SAID PERLO'S PASSPORT APPLICATION IS STILL PENDING.

MARCEL SCHERER, DESCRIBED AS A CHARTER MEMBER COMMUNIST AND THE MAN ALLEGED TO HAVE RECRUITED THE EXECUTED SPY JULIUS ROSENBERG INTO COMMUNISM. THE SUMMARY SAID SCHERER IS BELIEVED TO HAVE ATTENDED A SCHOOL FOR SPIES IN MOSCOW.

BENJAMIN STEINBERG, DESCRIBED AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY DATING BACK TO 1950.

THE SUMMARY SAID STEINBERG AFTER A FAR EAST TOUR BY THE SYMPHONY OF THE AIR WAS DESCRIBED AS A PROPAGANDA SPREADING "VIOLENT COMMUNIST."

ANNA LOUISE STRONG, WHO WAS KICKED OUT OF RUSSIA IN 1955 BUT REPORTEDLY HAS BEEN FORGIVEN BY THE SOVIETS. O'CONNOR SAID SHE WAS DENIED A PASSPORT LAST MARCH 24 ON FINDINGS BY SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES THAT SHE WAS A COMMUNIST BUT THAT HER PASSPORT WAS ISSUED ON JUNE 25 AFTER THE SUPREME COURT RULING. HE SAID SHE IS REPORTED TO HAVE GONE TO RED CHINA IN VIOLATION OF THE PASSPORT AND THAT HER WHEREABOUTS IS UNKNOWN NOW.

HELEN MAXINE LEVI SIMON TRAVIS, DESCRIBED AS A MICHIGAN COMMUNIST AND ASSOCIATE EDITOR OF THE MICHIGAN EDITION OF THE WORKER.

ROBERT CARROLL TRAVIS, ALSO DESCRIBED AS A MICHIGAN COMMUNIST, FORMER WRITER FOR THE CHICAGO STAR WHICH O'CONNOR NAMED AS DOMINATED BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

EARL WEISBAUM, WHO DENIED COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERSHIP BEFORE THE CALIFORNIA STATE FACT-FINDING BOARD BUT ALSO INVOKED THE FIFTH AMENDMENT ON MANY QUESTIONS. O'CONNOR DESCRIBED HIM AS A MAN WHO WAS RECRUITED INTO THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1954.

MAY WERNICK, DESCRIBED AS HAVING A COMMUNIST BACKGROUND DATING BACK TO 1932. THE SUMMARY SAID THE COMMUNIST PARTY EXPELLED HER IN 1946 BECAUSE OF A FACTIONAL FIGHT BUT THAT SHE REPORTEDLY WAS USED BY THE REDS SUBSEQUENT TO HER ALLEGED EXPULSION TO CARRY MATERIAL OVERSEAS FOR THEM. IT SAID SHE HAS LIVED OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES MOST OF THE TIME SINCE 1954 AND THAT PASSPORT FACILITIES WERE AUTHORIZED FOR HER IN SEPTEMBER.

ANITA WILLCOX, WHOSE PASSPORT CASE WAS PENDING IN FEDERAL COURT HERE WHEN THE SUPREME COURT RULED. AFTER FIRST BEING DENIED A PASSPORT SHE RECEIVED ONE IN JULY. O'CONNOR DESCRIBED HER AS AFFILIATED WITH THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT SINCE 1936.

HENRY WILLCOX, WHO ALSO RECEIVED A PASSPORT AS THE RESULT OF THE COURT DECISION AFTER A PRIOR TURNDOWN. HE ALSO WAS DESCRIBED AS A MAN WHO ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES OF WAGING GERM WARFARE AND COMMITTING ATROCITIES IN KOREA.

O'CONNOR'S LIST INDICATED THE ONLY APPLICANTS WHO HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED PASSPORTS OUT OF THE LIST OF 30 ARE HARDYMAN, PERLO AND SCHERER.

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HOUSTON-, TEX., DEC. 15 (AP)-A SOCIAL WORKER REPORTS TH 21 HUNGARIAN REFUGEES WHO CAME HERE TWO YEARS AGO HAVE HAD A ROUGH ROW TO HOE.

ABOUT ONE-THIRD LOST THEIR JOBS DURING THE RECESSION, T.W. WESTON, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSTON HUNGARIAN REHABILITATION BOARD, SAID. OTHERS WENT IN TOO DEEP ON INSTALLMENT BUYING.

"THEY WERE TOO EASILY TEMPTED BY OFFERS TO PAY \$25 DOWN ON CARS, AND THEY FAILED--OR WERE UNABLE--TO READ THE FINE PRINT IN WHAT THEY WERE SIGNING," WESTON SAID.

SOME HAVE ASKED IF THEY COULD BE SENT TO WESTERN EUROPE BUT NONE WOULD CONSIDER RETURNING TO HUNGARY, HE ADDED.

WESTON SAID THE LANGUAGE BARRIER KEPT SOME OF THE REFUGEES OUT OF THEIR PROFESSIONAL FIELDS AND FORCED THEM TO TURN TO LABOR AT \$1 TO \$1.50 AN HOUR.

ONE BOUGHT A HAMBURGER STAND FOR \$300 AND SET UP A HUNGARIAN RESTAURANT BUT WENT BROKE. "NO ONE IN THE PLACE COULD SPEAK ENGLISH," WESTON SAID.

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KENNEDY (220)

SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, DEC. 15 (AP)-SEN. JOHN F. KENNEDY (D-MASS) TODAY URGED A "NEW, HARD LOOK" AT U. S.-LATIN AMERICAN RELATIONS. HE OUTLINED A PROGRAM FOR STRENGTHENING THEM.

KENNEDY CHARGED THAT ASSURANCES MADE TO LATIN AMERICA AFTER THE MAY RIOTS AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT NIXON "ARE BEING NEGLECTED, THE PROMISES DELAYED."

"THE BASIC ISSUE," HE ASSERTED, "IS WHETHER WE ARE GOING TO APPROACH THE FUTURE TOGETHER OR SEPARATELY."

KENNEDY'S COMMENTS CAME IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR A DEMOCRATIC DINNER HERE. HE IS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LATIN AMERICA.

"IF WE TAKE OUR WESTERN HEMISPHERE FRIENDS FOR GRANTED," HE SAID, "THE DAY MAY NOT BE FAR OFF WHEN OUR SECURITY WILL BE FAR MORE ENDANGERED IN THIS AREA THAN IT IS IN THE MORE DISTANT CORNERS OF THE EARTH TO WHICH WE HAVE GIVEN OUR ATTENTION."

HE PARTICULARLY CALLED FOR A REEXAMINATION OF U.S. ATTITUDES--POLITICAL, DIPLOMATIC AND ECONOMIC--TOWARD LATIN AMERICA. UNLESS THIS IS DONE, HE SAID, "THERE IS LITTLE VALUE IN REEXAMINING OUR POLICIES AND PROGRAMS."

IN THE POLITICAL FIELD, KENNEDY URGED A TOUGHER POLICY TOWARD DICTATORS. "AN ANNOUNCED POLICY OF NON-INTERVENTION BECOMES A SHAM WHEN IT IS TURNED OFF AND ON TO SUIT OUR OWN PURPOSES," HE SAID.

ON DIPLOMATIC ATTITUDES, HE SAID "LATIN AMERICA HAS BEEN THE STEPCHILD IN THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE" AND THE UNITED STATES HAS PERMITTED THE OAS--ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES--"TO WITHER IN A BACK-SEAT ROLE."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EST, TODAY, MONDAY, DEC. 15)

(ADVANCE) SEATTLE, DEC. 15 (AP)-CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES BEGAN SHARING ENGINEERING TALENT TODAY IN THE U. S. BOMARC PILOTLESS MISSILE GROUND-TO-AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM. PLANE

THE BOEING AIRCRAFT CO. AND CANADAIR LTD. OF MONTREAL ANNOUNCED JOINTLY THEY HAVE SIGNED A CONTRACT UNDER WHICH 150 CANADIAN MISSILE ENGINEERS AND TECHNICIANS WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COUNTRY FOR AT LEAST SIX MONTHS.

THE CANADIANS WILL WORK HERE AND AT OTHER BOEING FACILITIES IN THE UNITED STATES. BOEING BUILDS THE SUPERSONIC BOMARC, WHICH CAN SEEK OUT AND DESTROY ENEMY TARGETS FOR A DISTANCE UP TO 250 MILES.

THE FIRST CONTINGENT FOR BOEING'S PILOTLESS AIRCRAFT DIVISION HERE WAS TO ARRIVE BY TRAIN LATE TODAY. IT INCLUDED 55 ENGINEERS, 30 WIVES AND 26 CHILDREN.

BOEING SAID THE CONTRACT "WILL GIVE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR CANADIAN ENGINEERS TO ASSIST IN ENGINEERING OF THE BOMARC WEAPONS SYSTEM."

CANADA RECENTLY ANNOUNCED PLANS TO INSTALL TWO BOMARC BASES NORTH OF ITS PRINCIPAL EASTERN CITIES, USING BOMARCS AS THE COUNTRY'S PRINCIPAL DEFENSIVE WEAPON.

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ADVANCE FOR PMS OF TUESDAY, DEC. 16

(ADVANCE) OTTAWA, DEC. 16 (AP)-IS THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT PREPARED TO HAVE U.S. PLANES TAKE OVER THE CANADIAN AIR FORCE'S DEFENSE JOB IN CANADA?

THIS IS ONE OF THE FACTORS THE GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE UNDER CONSIDERATION EARLY NEXT YEAR WHEN IT WILL DECIDE WHETHER TO ORDER THE SLEEK NEW CF105 ARROW, A SUPERSONIC JET INTERCEPTOR, INTO PRODUCTION.

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QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN RAISED ABOUT THE WISDOM OF POURING A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF MONEY INTO A FIGHTER PLANE AT A TIME WHEN MISSILES ARE COMING TO THE FORE AS BOTH DEFENSIVE AND OFFENSIVE AERIAL WEAPONS.

PRIME MINISTER JOHN Diefenbaker has estimated that 100 Arrows would cost around 900 million dollars.

More than 10 per cent of this fiscal year's \$1,686,000,000 defense budget has been spent on Arrow development. Tremendous sums have also been spent in past years.

Canada is the partner of the United States in the North American Air Defense Command (NORAD).

It was announced in September that two U.S. Bomarc guided missile stations would go into operation in Canada in 1961 at a cost of 164 million dollars. The decision on the Arrow was delayed until spring. A decision is expected by March.

Diefenbaker, announcing the building of the Bomarc sites, said: "The government has concluded that missiles should be introduced into the Canadian air defense system and that the number of supersonic interceptor aircraft required for the RCAF air defense command will be substantially less than could have been foreseen a few years ago (when work on the Arrow was started), if in fact such aircraft will be required at all in the 1960s in view of the rapid strikes being made in missiles by both the United States and the U.S.S.R."

The day the builders of the Arrow, Avro Aircraft Ltd., of Malton, Ont., unveiled their craft was the day the Russians launched Sputnik--Oct. 4, 1957.

The Arrow would replace the CF100, Canada's present first-line fighter.

Many people believe the entire defense effort should go into missiles.

RCAF Air Marshal Roy Slemmon, deputy commander of NORAD, said, however, that the manned interceptor is an "inescapable requirement for as long as we can see." In this he was supported by U.S. Gen. Earle Partridge, NORAD commander.

Behind the scenes the RCAF, seeing the possibility of its end as a flying combat force, added its arguments to the controversy.

Some RCAF officers said privately that cancellation of the Arrow would likely jeopardize Canada's position in NORAD, that the United States would not welcome Canada as a full partner when it was supplying only two Bomarc sites to the air defense system.

They added that American squadrons might have to take over RCAF fighter bases.

The Canadian government does not relish the prospect of American squadrons based in Canada in addition to the two now at Harmon Field, Nfld., and Goose Bay, Labrador. But it must balance this against military requirements, costs and other matters when it decides about the Arrow.

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